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THE MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.'S ANNIVERSARY.

From a Reporter's Point of View.

No event this season created more interest than the anniversary celebration of the Merrimack clothing company Friday evening last. From 7 to 10 o'clock the strains of the American orchestra delighted thousands who visited and lingered in the various departments of the beautiful store. To say that it looked well would be putting it mildly. It never looked half so well. A beautiful alcove arranged with bunting was constructed over the office for the orchestra, and was a tribute to Manager O'Hearn's ingenuity.

Great interest was taken in the collection of suits for men as displayed in the windows, and the assortment cannot be rivaled in Lowell nor surpassed in New England.

$10 Suits

are the strongest features, being the most popular, and the policy of the concern in delaying the fall purchase until the settlement of the tariff gives patrons of the store an advantage which must be appreciated, because of its great gain to them. The "Free Wool" or "New Tariff Giant" is a suit for $10, which the company expects to sell hundreds of, as it is an anniversary bargain and worth $15. These will be continued at this price until the close of this month, but no longer.

The following are the salemen in the clothing department: N. Huntley, E. Geoffroy, M. J. Mahoney, Joe Sullivan and D. Murphy.

Hats.

The success of this department is wonderful, but the stock merits it. The Lamson & Hubbard, the Gnager, the Harrington and all other popular blocks are now in stock. An important feature in the success of the department is the fact that all hats are conformed without charge and that special sizes and shapes are duplicated in two days for any customer without extra charge. H. Bailey, whose experience as a hatter is well known, is in charge of the hats. The assortment of caps is wonderful.

The Boy's Department.

It only requires an idea of the facilities which are provided in the boy's department for mothers and lady visitors to make it by far the most popular in the city. The styles shown in boys' suits this season are very nobby and the prices at Merrimack corner are indeed low. A suit with double seat and double knee of strictly wool Scotch cheviot is offered for $2.50 and is a wonder. Another for $4 and A. Shuman's renowned "Knockabout" for $5 are the best values known in the boys' clothing trade and can be had only here. The assortment of waists in every fabric defies description. W. McGovern is in charge of the boys' department and ladies' will find him painstaking and obliging.

Furnishing Goods.

This is the most popular department in the store and every line of goods offered for sale is first-class. The aim is to sell good goods at popular prices. The Petersburgh shirt is the best in the states and it is here at 39, 50, 75 cents, $1, $1.25, and $1.50 each, closed or open front, long or short bosoms, laundered or unlaundered. Those who have used the Petersburgh shirts will take no other. Special orders for large sizes are promptly filled at the same prices as quoted for regular goods. The line of fall underwear is a revelation to the ordinary furnishing goods man, and where purchasers will be found to purchase the 70 full cases now being shown is a surmise at best. "Our prices will sell them," says Mr. Dooley, the man in charge and truly they ought. The lines being shown at 25, 35, 50, 69, 75, 89 and $1 are very strong.

Neckwear and hosiery as well as collars and cuffs suggest good taste in their selection, the lines of collars and cuffs at 10 cents, and neckwear at 25 cents being most remarkable.

Overalls—Special Feature.

The firm manufacture all their own goods here and have done so for six months past. A few hours and you can have coats or overalls custom-made at 35, 40, 45 or 50 cents. They are daily improving their lines and have a stock of 500 pairs always in reserve.

Men in Charge.

Mr. T. Delany has charge of the cutting and making of overalls. Mr. Dooley is assisted in the furnishing department by Messrs. Frank Teague, Michael Dyer, M. J. Spillane, W. Meloy, Denis McCluskey, Thomas Mulcahy and Rudolph Vigneault.

DEATHS.

Lillian Belle Hammond, aged 26 years, died Sunday evening at St. Joh's hospital. Death resulted from inflammation, brought on by a cold contracted a week ago. Deceased had just entered the training school and prior to this taught in the schools of Westford. She lived at 122 Branch street. Her remains were forwarded to Barton Landing, Vt., this morning for interment.

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FOSTER TRAGEDY

Rigid Cross Examination of Billerica Men.

LAWYER CURRAN WORKING HARD FOR HIS CLIENTS.

Different Stories of the Midnight Battle.

The hearing over the Foster tragedy is still on and will quite likely continue today and tomorrow. Continuing the taking of evidence from the point left off in THE SUN of yesterday's extra edition the hearing progressed as given below:

Henry Pryor Cox

of Billerica was called. He asked for a glass of water evidently foreseeing a long examination.

He testified that he was a married man and had lived at Mr. McIntyre's house for two years. Mr. McIntyre's house is on the cross roads to Woburn and is about quarter of a mile from the junction of the Billerica and Burlington roads.

On the night of the shooting, he was awakened at 10.30 by Messrs. Foster and Nichols.

Mr. Wier asked what Mr. Foster said to him and Mr. Curran objected, a lengthy argument following. The district attorney claimed that he wanted to make witness conduct in going after the men justifiable.

Lawyer Curran argued the point very strongly. He was willing to admit that Cox had reason to believe that some one had robbed Foster The testimony then went on, the question remaining unanswered as the court excluded it and any conversation between the witness and Mr. Foster.

As a result of the conversation, witness harnessed his open buggy, and he with Nichols and Foster went along the road.

On the road to Billerica they passed a team standing at Paschal's about three miles from the Center on the road.

A man was standing by the horse, apparently fixing the harness. They then drove on to the Stearns house and got Mr. Livingston and all four went off, following the tracks of the wagon, which had been standing at Paschal's. They got out on the Bedford road opposite the wagon, which they found standing at one side of the road, a man holding the horse. He noticed a peculiarity about the horse's tracks and thought the horse shoe shown in court would make tracks similar to those in the road.

Cox's Story of the Shooting.

"We all got out of the wagon except Mr. Foster. Mr. Livingston caught the man at the horse, and he started to run around the wagon. I ran around the other way, and caught his right arm putting my other hand on his throat. When the men came over the wall, I let go of him. Mr. Nichols, at this time was trying to put on the handcuffs. Livingston had his revolver pointed at the man's breast, while Nichols had one pointed at his head.

"I did not see the men after the first shot. I saw them about the time they fired. I did not know where the first shots struck. I ran behind the wagon until after the second volley when I ran up behind my horse. No shots were fired in the second voley. I think eight or ten shots were fired in all. When I was standing behind the wagon, Foster was in the wagon.

When I came from behind the wagon my horse was jumping and Mr. Foster appeared to be holding him in. He was sitting up, but I couldn't see whether he had the reins in his hand.

It was about 150 feet beyond that I saw his body.

After the shooting I came from behind the horse, when Mr. Cox called me and we went up to the next house and borrowed a team. It was Dr. Tyler's house. We went back to the road where the body was lying. He was lying face down.

When we found the carriage the off hind wheel was covered with blood. It was on both sides of the spokes more being on the top side. There was some blood on other parts of the carriage.

Cox Cross-Examined.

On cross examination witness said he and Foster were neighbors. On the night in question Mr. Foster was "sober enough."

What do you mean by "sober enough" asked Lawyer Curran.

"I meant that he was not drunk, though he had a drink in I could not smell it," answered Cox.

"Did the fact that he wasn't drunk, strike you as peculiar?"

"It did," said Cox.

At this point Nichols' revolver was produced. It was loaded and everyone in its range dodged.

"We had better unload this, your Honor, or there might be another accidental shooting" said Mr. Curran.

Officer Palmer unloaded one shell from the revolver and Cox identified it as the one Nichols had on the night of the 11th.

When asked to describe the man fixing the harness in the wagon outside of Paschal's house, he could not do so; didn't notice that he had a cap on; Nichols didn't say he wore one.

He and Livingston got out at Paschal's when they found the wagon gone and examined the tracks.

Coming once more to the time of the struggle on the road with the man said to be Nagle, the witness was cross-examined carefully. About the time of the shots, Nichols had his revolver pointed at the man's head; Livingston had his pointed at his breast, while he had the man by the arm and neck. The man didn't do any struggling to get away from the handcuffs.

Witness heard no one yell to him before the shots were fired. The two men when they shot, the second time, were pointing their revolvers up the road, in the direction of Livingston, though he couldn't say they aimed at him.

He got a good look at the man he grappled with. He described him to Chief McIntosh as a man about his height; in his opinion without a mustache and that he wore a cap.

Witness went down to Woburn and when he saw Nagle said:

"I'd say he was the same man, if he didn't have that mustache. I saw Nagle a few days after the shooting."

"You didn't identify Nagle then as the man who held the horse?" asked Mr. Curran.

"No sir," said Cox.

"You don't identify him now, do you?"

"No sir," was the answer.

Nagle was then asked to stand up in the dock that the witness might see his mustache and when Cox was asked by Mr. Curran if he could mistake that mustache that night and he replied "I might have been mistaken as he stood in the shadow of the bushes."

He noticed no name on the wagon nor did he hear the others say there was any name on it.

He saw the wagon supposed to be the one seen in the road in Woburn but could not identify it.

District Attorney Wier examined the witness again in regard to his conversation with Chief McIntosh, in Woburn, as in cross examination it appeared that he had been told to come down and see the wagon which had been in the road, instead of going to see if he could identify a wagon as the one seen.

Mr. Wier also asked him if he could identify Nagle as the man holding the horse and again he replied negatively.

Charles A. Nichols

was called next. It was admitted by the defendant's counsel that this party was justified in going in pursuit. The first part of his testimony was substantially the same as Mr. Cox's.

When they went up to the man who was holding the horse, Mr. Livingston said to him: "I guess you'll have to go with me."

He then related the circumstances which led up to the shooting. He pulled the revolvar on him afterwards and it went off.

Nichols Finds Foster.

"When the second volley was fired I ran, said Nichols. I didn't fire my revolver again because I didn't have time. The carriage in which Foster sat was moving when I ran, I kept on until I found Foster in the road."

Two pictures of the horse and wagon were shown witness, and he was asked if he could identify them. He said, "the wagon that I saw was some such sort of a wagon."

When asked if he could identify the man he saw on the road, he replied that he could not swear to his identity.

Lawyer Curran had just begun his cross-examination when adjournment was taken until 9.30 tomorrow morning.

Evidence Taken This Morning.

The hearing in the Foster case was resumed at 9.30 o'clock, this morning.

Charles A. Nichols was called for cross examination.

He said he had spoken to reporters since then. He didn't think he told them that all three ran from the team when the shot was fired. He couldn't swear, he repeated, to the identity of any of the men who did the shooting. Remembered being in the police station once in his life and then he was waiting for Cox; didn't remember whether he talked with people about the murder while there.

Last Thursday at the inquest he attempted to describe the murderers and he thought he had told his friends that one fellow had a mustache on, as he saw that when he came over the wall.

He told them, the fellow they held had a smooth face; thought he had on either a jumper or a cardigan; didn't think he said that his party ran away; wouldn't say he didn't. He remembered Mr. Livingston passing up the hill, but couldn't say he ran; couldn't say in what direction he went; didn't see Livingston fire when he came near him.

Witness said he was 30 feet away when he fired; aimed at one of the men; couldn't say which one.

Witness in describing the positions of the actors of the tragedy was very vague. He didn't notice what Livingston did when the first shots were fired, as he was the first to leave. He went into the road and pulled his revolver twice, pointing at the men in the road.

When the fellows in the road fired the second shot, one was near the center of the road and one near the wheel ruts on the side, nearly opposite their own wagon; Livingston was up the street, witness was 30 feet away, 10 feet above Livingston, couldn't say what Livingston was doing.

After the witness came back from Foster, he was pretty sure Livingston "hollered" "murder.

COLUMBIAN BAZAAR OPENING.

IT WAS ATTENDED BY AN IMMENSE CROWD OF PEOPLE.

Its Financial Success Assured and It is a Question Now of How Big Will be the Receipts.

The first night of the Columbian bazaar proper was a grand occasion. Huntington hall was jammed full of people and the scene was an impressive one. The tables were pretty, the attendants charming and the gowns handsome.

The supply and refreshment tables were in charge of Miss Alice T. Clark and these assistants: Mrs. Cahill, Mrs. Gillon, Mrs. Richard Allen, Mrs. A. J. Loughlin, Mrs. Robert Lee, Miss Lynch and Mrs. O'Toole. The waitresses were Mrs. Gillon, Marie Smaller, Lolla Smaller, Minnie McSorley, Georgianna Harnden, Annie Kelley, Maggie O'Brien, Lizzie Kelley, Mabel Burns, Etta Kelley and Ella Harnden.

The candy table, a sweet place of course, was in charge of Miss Katherine Lennon, assisted by Misses Katherine Smith, Mary Lennon, Theresa Corbett, Annie King, Margaret King, Lizzie Lawler.

The lemonade table was in charge of Miss Sarah Sparks, assisted by Jennie Dunham and Maud Riley.

Holy Rosary table, President, Mrs. Jones; assistants, Mrs. James Gookin, Mrs. Tighe, and Mrs. Welch. Columbian table, President Margaret Sullivan, assistants; Misses Katie Lawler, Katie Allen, Maggie Sheehan, Mary Dacey, Katie Leevey. The Y. M. C. I. is presided over by Miss Norah Sheehan, Sarah McCaffrey, Mary Sheehan, Sarah McQuade, E. Woods, Annie Conlon, Mary Duggan, Margaret Sheehan, Nellie McGrade and Mrs. William Cogger.

The Children of Mary's table had Miss Julia Halloran as presiding lady. Her assistants were, Misses Margaret Smith, Mary Crotty, Etta King, Mary Cooney, Katie Sullivan, Lena Ewing, and Etta Burns.

St. Francis' table was in charge of Mrs. Shipley. Mrs. McCaffrey, Misses Mary A. Hoddard, Margaret McPherson, Mary Smith and Margaret Crane assisted Mrs. Shipley.

Sunday school table.—President, Miss Nellie Cavanaugh; assistants, the Misses Mary and Agnes Cavanaugh, Misses Agnes Haley, Katie Burgoyne, Katie Duffy, Susie Riley, Etta Harnden, Katie Riley, Annie McLaughlin. The pond was patronized by a very large number of people. Mr. James Flood is in charge and has Sarah McCaffrey and Annie Conlon to assist him. The dispensors of cool drinks are Michael Quinn, James McLaughlin, George Clark, and John Flannagan. The base ball practice is under the watchful eyes of John Payne, Jerry Leary and Joseph Cox. Last, but not least, are the grab bags. They are carried by Misses Mary Boulger, Jennie Doherty, Agnes Sullivan and Winnie King.

The American orchestra was in attendance and rendered some very fine selections.

In our account of the Sunday evening concert we inadvertently overlooked the excellent work of the quartet consisting of P. P. Haggerty, T. P. Boulger, David B. Martin and James Murphy. Their singing was a feature of the evening.

LOCAL NOTES.

All ladies of Lowell are cordially invited to attend Mrs. D. Crowley's opening of fall and winter millinery, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 27 and 28. Parlors 1 and 2 Pollard building, Palmer street.

2 O'CLOCK

THE CONVENTION

Of the Fifth Congressional District at Lawrence.

MR. STEVENS EMPHATICALLY DECLINES THE NOMINATION.

Hon. George W. Fifield Will Probably Be Chosen.

Today the democrats of the fifth congressional district name a candidate to represent them in congress.

Early this morning little groups of the Lowell delegation were seen wending their way towards the depot to catch the train for Lawrence, while others drove over the road.

Senator Brady and a number of friends were among the latter. Henry Courtney and members of the Ward Two delegation went on the 8.30 train in order to make a survey of the situation in Lawrence, before the opening of the convention.

John J. Burns of Ward Five and his delegation, John J. Hogan and the bulk of the delegates from this city went down on the 10 o'clock train. They were a jolly crowd and nobody could notice any great concern as to who should be the nominee. Chairman Pearson and a portion of the Ward Two delegation were also on the train. From such a representative body of delegates it was easy to ascertain the feeling in regard to the various candidates mentioned. It was pretty evident that the majority was in favor of tendering the nomination to Hon. Moses T. Stevens in case he would consent to run but this generous sentiment was suddenly dispelled by a document which City Solicitor Hogan had in his possession. As chairman of the district committee, Mr. Stevens had written him the following communication:

NORTH ANDOVER, Mass., Sept. 24, 1894.

John J. Hogan, Esq., chairman of congressional committee.

Dear Sir:—Some of the democratic papers in this district have intimated that I might again consent to be a candidate for re-election as representative in congress.

I had hoped that the party would before this, be united on some strong man who could carry the district as I believe it can be done.

That there may be no uncertainty about my position, I will say that I should be compelled for reasons of health and business to decline a renomination, even if it was tendered me unanimously by the convention which is to meet tomorrow.

Yours truly,
M. T. STEVENS.

This settled the matter so far as Mr. Stevens' candidacy was concerned and as soon as the Stevens delegates were apprised of the fact, they at once became Fifield men.

A boom was started within the last two days for Congressman O'Neil in this district. Several delegates favored the idea of taking him up as compromise candidate. It is not necessary that a candidate should be a resident of the district.

Dr. Everett was elected in the seventh district, although a non-resident. There seems to be no reason, however, that the democrats of the fifth district should go outside to find a strong candidate for nomination.

LIKE SARDINES IN A BOX

WERE PEOPLE PACKED INTO A TEMPORARY COURT ROOM.

Judge Frye Presided at the Police Court While Judge Hadley Continued the Murder Hearing in the Big Court Room.

It is pretty evident that Lowell needs two judges of the municipal court. Business, both criminal and civil, is now of such a volume that Judge Hadley cannot handle it.

To dispose of criminal business Judge Frye held court in the special justice's room and it was packed with prisoners, officers and spectators, while the atmosphere was almost unbearable.

In the main court room the murder hearing was continued with a big attendance of witnesses.

Success in the Millinery Business.

This week marks the third anniversary of one of our successful milliners. We refer to Miss M. J. Brady of Palmer street. She deserves to be congratulated on her success in business and this season she will far excell all previous efforts in her line. Having just returned from New York and having seen the latest French and New York fashions and novelties she is preparing for her formal opening on Friday and Saturday. She promises one of the finest displays of fine hats and bonnets shown in Lowell. Everybody is cordially invited to be present to examine her rich and rare goods. Her prices this season will be as heretofore always the most reasonable in the city. Special inducements will be offered at the grand opening. Remember the time and place, Friday and Saturday, Miss M. J. Brady, Palmer street.

War in China.

Doesn't change the price on our Teas. Notice the samples in one of our show windows. Our Eagle chop Formosa at 50c., no presents, beats the world. The U. S. Tea Co. Lowell.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen Scanlan, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate, by Ellen T. Feely, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed, may be issued to her, or some other suitable person, the executor named in said will having declined the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a probate court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Tuesday of October A.D., 1894, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the LOWELL DAILY SUN, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days, at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said court, this eighteenth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

ROLL TOP DESK, platform scales, paper press, counter and show case, for sale cheap. Apply to Wm. S. Parker, mgr., 185 Middlesex street.

DECLARED A DRAW.

Murphy Pluckily Stood Before Plimmer In a Twenty-Five Round Fight.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 25.—The first of the series of the fights which will form the pugilistic triple event at the Olympic club took place last night in the presence of about 5000 spectators. John P. Eckhardt officiated as referee.

Murphy and Plimmer fought for a purse of $2500—$2000 to the winner and $500 to the loser. The men were in splendid condition, and weighed in at the stipulated weight, 115 pounds.

The stakeless ring was introduced for the first time, and so far as appearances went seemed to be an improvement on the old style roped enclosure.

Plimmer was seconded by Billy McCarthy, Bennie Murphy and Al Robb. Murphy was looked after by James Connery, Jake Kilrain and Andy Bowen. Frank Caramback was official timekeeper.

The fighting at times was terrific, Plimmer apparently having the better of it, jabbing Murphy all around the ring and dealing out severe punishment. As the windup, the audience rose in a body to hear the verdict. The referee declared the match a draw, and the decision received general approbation. Plimmer had the better of the hitting, but the little Bostonian's gameness and generalship enabled him to continue the contest to the required 25 rounds.

They Won't Go Back.

FITCHBURG, Mass., Sept. 25.—The conference committee of the board of trade appointed to arbitrate the differences between the Parkhill Manufacturing company and its employes held a conference yesterday with the executive board of the strikers. At a meeting of 428 of the company's employes, last night, the proposition that they return to work on full time at a reduced rate of wages was voted down by a vote of 389 to 28.

Hodgkins Held For Manslaughter.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Sept. 25.—The hearing in the manslaughter case of A. W. Hodgkins, who was the telegraph operator at West Portal at the time of the tunnel accident, began in the district court yesterday. The cross-examination of Crosier resulted in sensational evidence against himself. No action was taken regarding Crosier. Hodgkins was held for the grand jury for manslaughter in $3000 bonds.

Sentenced to Death.

SYRACUSE, Sept. 25.—Charles F. Wilson was sentenced by Justice Williams to be electrocuted during the week beginning Nov. 6 for participation in the murder of Detective Harvey. The prisoner took his sentence calmly.

Death Feared Soon.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—Peter Berlo, the famous cyclist of this city, is at the city hospital in a precarious condition, and it is feared that he will live but a few hours. Berlo's illness is inflammation of the bowels.

Killed by an Electric.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 25.—Mrs. Bridget Cannon, 70 years old, was struck by an electric car and was so seriously injured that she died. Her skull was fractured in three places.

Atchison's New Receiver.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Judge Lacombe, in the United States circuit court yesterday, formally ordered the appointment of Aldace F. Walker receiver of the Atchison.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Ten stores in Tomah, Wis., were burned.

General Willard Slocum died at Ashland, O.

General Ezeta was declared free of extradition.

A great many cases of diphtheria are reported in Boston.

Cholera in Austria is diminishing, in Russia still raging.

Italian strikers attacked workmen in a Brooklyn shoe factory.

Major Moore was found guilty, at Buffalo, of pension frauds.

France will have no interference in Madagascar, Egypt or Tripoli.

Religious pilgrims were injured in a train wreck near Valencia, Spain.

Premier Crispi is going to Naples in order to complete a course of baths.

Schooner Minnesota, of Gloucester, Mass., is ashore at Gull Rock, N. S.

Naval officers are expecting great things from their new small caliber magazine rifle.

Thomas O'Neil of Boston, aged 18, was struck by a falling brick, fracturing his skull.

Ambassador Bayard will sail from Southampton, Oct. 6, for the United States.

The German congress of natural science opened at Vienna with about 2000 delegates present.

Schooner Annie C. Hall, of Gloucester, Mass., is ashore near Cape Sable, in a dangerous position.

Mayor Harwood of Lynn, Mass., is determined to have the underground wire ordinance disposed of.

The United States minister at Colon, Luther McKinney, has been inspecting the Panama canal.

The grand jury at Lewiston, Me., reported 76 indictments, about 50 of them being for liquor cases.

William H. Dimick was appointed clerk of the Massachusetts Nautical Training School commissioners.

The Somerset Central Agricultural society's three days' meeting opened favorably at Skowhegan, Me.

John Conway was sentenced to pay $300 and go to jail for five months for selling liquor illegally in Malden, Mass.

While Andrew Canfield was working on a trestle at Boston, he fell 25 feet and fractured his skull and thigh, causing his death.

Samuel W. McCall was unanimously renominated for congress by Republicans of the Eighth Massachusetts congressional district.

The Mosquito Indians have been sending delegations to Colombia praying that their territory be annexed to the republic of Colombia.

As the Grand Duchess of Hesse is in delicate health the marriage of Princess Alix of Hesse to the czarowitch will be postponed again, this time until February.

While over 200 persons were attending a fete in a building at Malines, Belgium, the floor gave way and the whole party was precipitated to the ground. Twenty persons were injured.

John Quincy Adams Lothrop, Cohasset's leading citizen and one of the best known men in eastern Massachusetts, died suddenly from the effects of neuralgia of the heart. He was born in Cohasset, Oct. 14, 1824.

A $5000 Purse Offered.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 25.—The Narragansett Racing association has offered a purse of $5000 for a mile race between Henry of Navarre, Domino and Clifford, or any two

FORCING THINGS

Japan Pomises an Early End to War.

CHINA WILL MAKE REPARATION FOR ALL DAMAGE.

And Acts of Violence to Resident Foreigners.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—A reporter had an interview yesterday with M. Myabara, a Japanese naval constructor, who is here supervising the building of two first-class men-of-war for Japan. Each of the vessels is to be of 12,300 tons, and is to be completed in four years.

M. Myabara dwelt at length upon the sudden volte-face of English opinion in favor of Japan since her successes in Corea. He said the Yalu battle had by no means disturbed his faith in the vast importance of big armored battleships. Cruisers, of course, were of undoubted value, but big ironclads were the great determining factor, and that was where China had an advantage over Japan. M. Myabara said it made him fret to think that the two ironclads now being built were not commenced six years ago.

With regard to the campaign, he thought that everything pointed in a Japanese march toward Pekin. Beyond that he was not inclined to say much. Personally, he believed that the war would terminate before winter.

"You may depend upon it," he continued, "that Japan will force matters to a finish before November, when the gulfs of Pe-Chi-Li and Liao-Tong are frozen over. You will probably soon hear of a great battle on the Yalu.

"The Japanese are good marchers, and therefore we may soon expect something important. In the meantime there may be minor fights on the march, of which you will hear nothing, because during the intervals of marching on an important position not a paragraph concerning the movements of the troops will be allowed to be telegraphed."

Pekin Authorities Embarrassed.

Advices from Shanghai state that the murder of the two missionaries by Chinese soldiers has been followed by the assassination of a French customs officer on the frontier of Tonquin. These acts of violence are greatly embarrassing the Pekin authorities at the present time, and it is announced reparation will be offered in the case of Rev. Mr. Wylie by executing his assailants, rebuilding the wrecked chapel and paying a sum of money to the family of the victim.

The English newspapers in Shanghai state that the unprecedented step will be taken of expressing regret in an imperial edict, a form of atonement which assuredly would never have been vouchsafed in less troubled times. As regards the outrages on Frenchmen, ships of war of that nation will demand reparation. The work of strengthening the defenses along Chinese coasts is continued, mostly by posting floating batteries at points of supposed danger.

Doings In Japan.

A Yokohama dispatch announces that the foreign department of Japan has given notice that duly accredited newspaper correspondents may hereafter accompany the military forces of the entire empire, and will receive all consideration that can reasonably be given by commanders of troops.

The trophies captured at Konh-Hwan and Casan will soon be exhibited in Tokio. The collection is large and various, consisting of over 50 battleflags, arms of all descriptions, an immense quantity of clothing, personal adornments and musical instruments.

The Clothing Trade Strike.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—Yesterday's developments in the great clothing trade strike in this city were of a two-fold nature. On the one hand, the signs all pointed to speedy success for the unions. On the other, the action of the Clothing Manufacturers' association seemed to indicate that the contractors and workmen are in for a prolonged contest. Officials of the Clothing Contractors' association claim to have received no notification of what the merchant clothiers intend to do with the price list drawn up by the contractors.

A New Departure.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—The University of Chicago has made arrangements for the publication of an astronomical journal, which will be international in scope and character. Professor Hale of the Chicago university and James E. Keller of Allegheny university are to be editors. The associate editors will be such famous astronomers and astrophysicians as Achine of Rome, Vogel of Pottsdam, Duner of Sweden and Dr. Huggins of England.

Conspiracy Story Renewed.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The World this morning publishes a page story that Archbishop Corrigan has been accused in Rome of a conspiracy. The document is said to be signed by some of the leading Catholics of the country. The old accusation is made that the archbishop, through the assistance of Michael Walsh, secured the publication of articles in the Catholic papers severely reflecting upon Mgr. Satolli.

To Test Her Engines.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The Maine is ready for trial and the contractors for the machinery have asked permission to take her out for a preliminary trial spin in order to insure the good working of the engines and auxiliaries before the formal trial. This permission has been granted, and the ship will probably go out within the next 48 hours.

Crushed by Falling Earth.

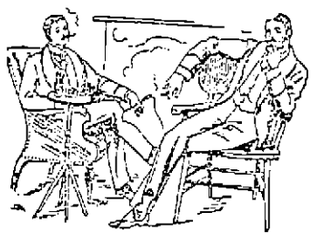
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 25.—Five laborers were buried under a mass of earth almost as compact as stone, while at work making an excavation for the foundation of a retaining wall on the Richmond branch of the Reading railroad. One man died a few minutes after his body was recovered. Four others were seriously injured.

Thibedeau's Murderer Arrested.

THREE RIVERS, Que., Sept. 25.—John B. Ouellette was arrested at Grand Mere for the murder of Daniel Thibedeau at Jay Bridge, Me., on Sept. 1 Ouellette was in bed when arrested and broke down completely and confessed his guilt, saying: "Whisky made me do it."

Self Praise, Etc.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—John L. Sullivan, while driving about town yesterday, dropped in at the White House. The place was closed for repairs, so the ex-pugilist was not admitted, although he explained to the watchman at the door that he (Sullivan) was a better man than he who occupied the mansion



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FOSTER HEARING CONTINUED.

ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE AT THE AFTERNOON SESSION.

Officer Livingston Again On the Stand —Damaging Testimony Adduced.

Constable Livingston took the stand at 1.40 o'clock in the afternoon.

The testimony regarding the finding of the meal bags, grain, etc., was reviewed, and the new testimony began after he had lost sight of the wagon.

He said in answer to Mr. Wier's question, "I went to the center of the town; met Geo. Smith and Jas. Coulter at the town pump; Coulter went to Mr. Stearns and Smith to the doctor's. We went in a carriage in pursuit. We followed the tracks to North Woburn and about a mile ahead of us could hear the noise of a wagon. I alighted at every fork and examined the tracks closely. I lost the track for awhile but found it again a few rods distant. Then we went into No. Woburn and lost it at the car stables, where the ground was too hard to leave an impression.

Identified Horses' Shoes.

Witness, at this point was asked if he thought he could identify the shoes from the marks in the road. He was shown two horse shoes and said the difference between them corresponded with the difference in the tracks.

Cross Examination.

This ended the direct examination and Lawyer Curran began the cross examination. Witness described the route taken by him from the time of leaving the scene of the shooting, till he arrived in North Woburn, giving a description of all the roads traversed and what turns made.

At the horse car stable witness roused the hostler. He had a brief conversation with this man and then went direct to Woburn center and saw the officers at the station. Witness then pointed out Officer Fountain of the Woburn police force as the man he saw and spoke with in Woburn center. He then went home.

In answer to Mr. Curran's questions witness said "I had reasons to believe that the men I was after went towards Woburn center. When I got there I learned they had not been seen there.

"The nearest we came to them after the shooting was to hear their team. We had a good horse and when we could, drove him fast. We heard their team for a mile.

The peculiarity of the horse's tracks made it conspicuous.

Witness described the horse shoes.

At this point witness told of hearing that Foster was shot. He thought Cox was shot until he reached Woburn.

He admitted that he, Nagle, Cox and Nichols were all together and that he believed a number of shots were fired to frighten him into letting Nagle go.

Nagle resisted being handcuffed.

He snapped the trigger of his revolver three times but fired but one shot. Foster was not heard to speak. Witness did not hear his body fall.

Two men fired. The flashes in the first volley came in quick succession.

He remembered that one of the men was taller than the other and that both had mustaches and wore dark clothes.

In reply to other questions regarding description given to Chief McIntosh, witness was not positive on any point. He believed that he had stated the man wore a cap. Lawyer Curran's efforts to confound witness were futile.

At the time of going to press Mr. Cox of Billerica was on the stand.

A full account of additional testimony will be in tomorrow's SUN.

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James Miskella, candidate for the council in Ward Three addressed the Bleachery club yesterday, on the advantages and value of organizations such as this club.

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POSTMASTER PEARSON has made a new arrangement of the mails that will prove advantageous to the people.

THE WORK of registration is now commenced and should be prosecuted incessantly until the sessions of the registrars shall have closed.

THE HEARING on the Foster murder gave ample proof that the detectives have done excellent work on the case and that Officer Livingston of Billerica is no slouch.

MONTGOMERY says that Morse is to be governor of this state as certain as is any future event. He is setting himself up as a dictator. Morse is the Apaphobian candidate.

THE A.P.A. dark lantern organization is said to have control of the republican party in this city. The bible has been thrown aside for the religion of Justin Fulton and Montgomery, whose hatred of Catholics can be described only as a species of rabies.

HOW WOULD Mr. Ludlam do for chief of the fire department? We venture to say that he would make things lively if he saw a house going up in smoke, although he might preserve greater equanimity at the burning of a house in which he was not interested.

THE ANTI-SIMPKINS republicans are getting together in the thirteenth district. They are the men who do not want to be considered of the venal mob who sell themselves for beer and boodle. It is well that this element of the party should make its existence known.

THE INSPECTOR of wires and public prosecutor ordinances are to come up tonight in the city council. It is about time they should be either passed or killed. His Honor, the mayor, should not hold to the upper board method of appointment as by so doing he may defeat a measure which is greatly needed.

WHILE THE A. P. A. belches forth its gush about patriotism it shows no regard for the men who saved the country. In Lawrence Mr. Littlefield, a candidate for register of deeds who is an honored war veteran was turned down to give place to a man named Sanborn with no special merit or fitness for the place further than that he is a member of the dark lantern order of fanatics.

FROM THE intensity of the hatred with which the A. P. A. hounds Catholics, from the similarity in many important respects which this hatred, this malice, this blind prejudice, this spirit of ungodly arrogance, bears to rabies or hydrophobia, the principles of this new dark lantern order might well be named "Apaphobia" and as Apaphobians rather than disturbers, bigots, knownothings or fanatics, let the members of this organization be stigmatized now and hereafter.

NEW HAMPSHIRE REPUBLICANS INCENSED.

The democrats of New Hampshire are in hopes of electing Mr. Kent, their candidate for governor.

Busiel never was true to any party and furthermore he has been a continual kicker. He was a democrat or a supposed democrat, and left the party for purely personal reasons. He was a politician of the rule or ruin stripe and has evinced the same dominating spirit in the republican ranks.

It is putting it mildly to say that he is not popular. Many republicans who have been life-long workers in the party are actually incensed at the nomination. They would prefer to vote for a straight democrat, an open foe, than an office seeker who enters their party merely for his own personal advancement.

The rank and file of New Hampshire republicans are indignant at the nomination and believe it was secured by boodle. This gives the democrats an opportunity of electing Kent, and they are hopeful of victory. Not all Busiel's boodle will avail to assuage the wrath that is becoming hotter and hotter as the election day approaches.

THE CITIZEN is much concerned about the nomination of a candidate by the democrats of the Fifth district and no wonder inasmuch as it is the accredited, and we have no doubt the official organ, of Knox in this city. It questions THE SUN's attitude towards the various candidates and as usual assumes a few things that are not so. To answer the Citizen's query, it may be said, that Mr. Stevens being a manufacturer whose tariff policy is known not to be obnoxious to New England interests, he would be more likely to escape their extreme opposition than a new man with whose policy on the tariff they are unacquainted. But the expression of this opinion does not imply that THE SUN is for or against him. THE SUN is for whomsoever will be nominated by a majority of the delegates to the convention which assembled in Lawrence this morning.

PARSON BROWN of Fall River has folded his political-social-religious gospel tent and come into notice as a mediator between the Fall River strikers and their employes. He begs of the strikers for the sake of their families to go back to work and await developments. He stands upon the ground that the corporations are willing to withdraw their cut down order just as soon as business will warrant it. In common with ex-Senator Howard he considers the voluntary vacation another blunder. It is quite likely that the strikers under the circumstances will soon conclude to return to work.

TODAY THE democrats of the Empire state have to nominate a candidate for governor and upon the wisdom of their choice depends the fate of the democratic party throughout the nation for years. If they nominate a man who will defeat Morton they will deserve well of the country; if not, it can only be said that they have not proved equal to the emergency. A strong candidate will be needed to overcome the corruption to follow in the wake of Platt as general distributor of Morton's boodle.

CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

A Great Dog.

"When I was a-livin back east," said the man with the ginger beard, "I owned one of these here little woolly Scotch terriers that was one of the smartest animals you ever see. Funny thing! One day my wife was readin in the paper that woolly dogs wasn't goin to be in fashion that summer, and she says to me, in a jokin sort of a way, 'I guess we will haf to sell Dagobert—that was his name—and git a nice, fashionable, smooth haired dog.' 'All right,' says I, still keepin up the joke. Now, what do you suppose that there dog went and did?"

"Mebbe he committed suicide," ventured the grocer. "I have heard of dogs havin their feelin's hurt so bad that they killed theirselves."

"Not much he didn't! Didn't I jist tell you he had a whole lot of sense? He jest snaked a quarter out'n the box where we kept the small change to pay the milkman and the newspaper boy and went down the barber shop and had his hair cut, that's what he did!"—Indianapolis Journal.

Satisfied.

This is one of the unique experiences that befall the hardware trade. Some days since a dear old lady from the country went into a grocery store in Lewiston, Me., and offered some glue for sale. "Where did you get it?" asked the dealer. "Where did I get it?" she repeated proudly. "I made it. Where do you suppose? I have been saving up the feet of all the critters that we have killed in years, and here's the glue. I b'iled it out myself." When she was paid the small amount of money the glue was worth, she went off apparently happy and contented, though she got only 65 cents.—Hardware.

She Said He Did, but Did He?

Teacher (of east side school)—Now, boys, we will parse the sentence, "William refused the cake." Tommy Jones, what is "William?"

Tommy Jones—He's an ass.—Truth.

The Height of Bliss.

"Did your sister enjoy the serenade last night?"

Little Jimmy—Yes. She and Mr. Blinks laughed at everything you sang.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

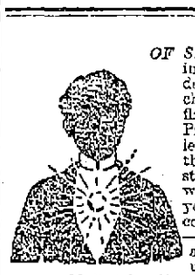
Quips That Pass In the Daytime.

"I hope I'm not entirely unwelcome," said the Disagreeable Man, thrusting his head in at the door, "because if I am you know, I'll come oftener."—Chicago Tribune.

A Quick Entry.

Mab—What was the first thing that came into your mind when Frank proposed?

Bess—The word "Yes."—Boston Courier.



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Helping Him Out.

Tired Teddy—Wot 'r' ye flirtin wid de dog for?

Gay Getup—He's an ole acquaintance o' mine.

Tired Teddy—Does he like yer?

Gay Getup—Dead gone on me. He gives me a bite every time I comes round.—Brooklyn Life.

Saving Himself.

The late Professor Hyrtl was once in the room when Professor Langer was conducting the examination of an aspirant for the medical degree. Langer handed the student a small bone, saying: "Mr. Candidate, here is a bone. Don't look at it, but tell me from feeling it what kind of a bone it is, whether it belonged to the left or right side of the body and whether it was a part of a man or woman."

The poor student blushed from embarrassment. There was a large audience present, and he saw failure staring him in the face. He cast a helpless glance at Hyrtl, who moved about restlessly in his chair for a moment, and then sprang to his feet. "And tell me, Mr. Candidate," he cried out, the spirit of anger lighting up his large, blue eyes, "after answering the questions of my dear colleague the name of the original possessor of this bone, and where and in what street he lived."

This unexpected outburst "saved the day" for the poor candidate, but Professor Langer ever after declined to conduct an examination when Hyrtl was present.—Argonaut

No Use.

Hardso—Why didn't you defend your wife's suit for divorce?

Saidso—I had known for years that what she said was law.—New York World.

An Aspersion.

She (sweetly)—What beautiful roses! So fresh. Is that dew on them?

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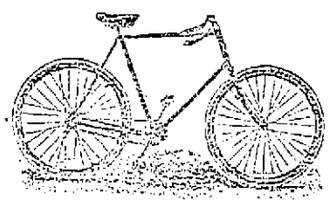

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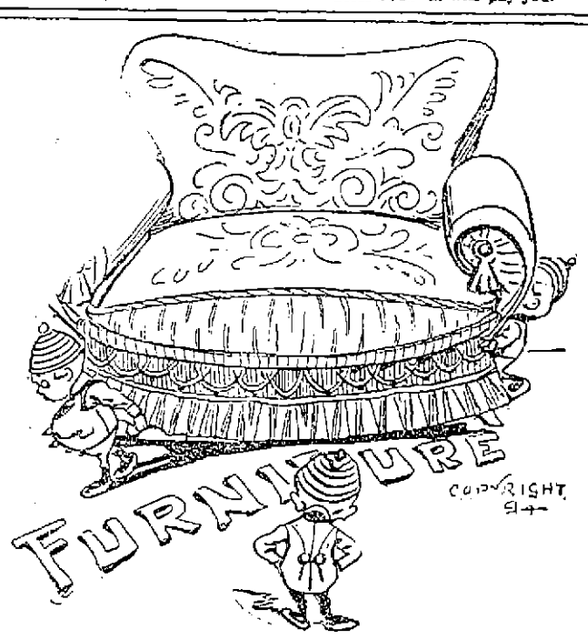

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THE HARVEST

The Warm Week Was Beneficial to Crops.

FARM WORK IS NOW WELL ADVANCED.

Apple Picking Begun With Prospect of Abundance.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—The summary of the weather and crop conditions in New England for the week just passed, as given by the New England weather service bureau, is as follows:

The weather for the week has been warmer than usual at this season of the year, with favorable harvesting weather and with an abundance of rain in all southern sections. The drought is now thoroughly broken over the greater part of New England. Wells have filled, the streams in pastures are full and grass is starting well.

New England's Rainfall.

The following is the rainfall for the week at each station, expressed in inches and hundredths: Eastport, Me., 0.55; Portland, Me., 1.47; Brookline, N. H., 1.11; Alstead, N. H., 0.92; West Milan, N. H., 1.21; Stratford, N. H., 0.50; Northfield, Vt., 1.28; Hartland, Vt., 2.20; Amesbury, Mass., 1.95; Ipswich, Mass., 1.19; Boston, 1.55; Nantucket, Mass., 0.29; Block Island, R. I., 1.14; Kingston, R. I., 2.53; South Manchester, Conn., 1.71; New London, Conn., 1.35; New Britain, Conn., 4.37; West Simsbury, Conn., 4.61; Westville, Conn., 5.51; Greenfield Hill, Conn., 3.58; Hawleyville, Conn., 3.50.

Fine Harvesting Weather.

Harvesting is going on rapidly in Maine with generally favorable weather. The rain was heavy in all central and southern sections and the ground is now plenty wet enough for fall plowing. A good crop of sweet corn has been harvested and the field corn is very good. The root crop is doing finely. Grass is looking well and there is an abundance of fall feed. Apples will be a light crop in Penobscot county.

Reseeding Necessary In Some Places.

There was a comparatively small amount of rain in the northern part of New Hampshire during the week. Grass is starting slowly and the springs and streams are filling up slowly, but in southern sections the ground is well filled with water, and grass in fields and pastures is starting finely, except the new seedings that were killed by drought. Much reseeding will have to be done. Apple picking has begun and is nearly two weeks early.

Much fruit was blown off during the storm of the 19th and 20th. In Cheshire county there are few apples in the valleys. In Sullivan county there seems to be plenty of fall fruit, but the Baldwins are reported a light crop. In Coos county the yield of potatoes is very large and sound. Corn harvesting is well under way, with a good crop. Beans are very good and ripe.

Ground Never Plowed Better.

Much plowing is being done in Vermont and correspondents say that the ground never plowed better. The wind and rain during the storm beat off a good many apples, but generally this fruit is pronounced very promising.

In Orange county the correspondent states that apples are plenty on the hills, but in the valleys and for 150 feet up they are scarce; this is probably true in many towns in this state and in New Hampshire. Beans have ripened well, are mostly pulled, and are pronounced an extra crop. Feed is good. The potato rot is at a minimum in southern counties.

Farm Work Well Advanced.

The fine weather has been favorable for farm work, and in Massachusetts it is well advanced for the season.

In parts of eastern Franklin county the wind during the late storm did much damage to fruit trees and timber, but the correspondent in central Worcester county states that no damage was done beyond shaking off a few worms or dead-ripe apples. The weather has been favorable for gathering rowen, which is a light crop.

Generally the rains have started the grass on fields and pastures, but a correspondent in Hampden county states that he has examined grass lands and finds many roots dead. He thinks the crop for next year has been seriously affected. In that county much of last spring's seeding is dead, and many are reseeding. This is true in some other sections, but whether the failure of new grass to live is general or not the correspondents have failed to note. Forage crops and roots are growing very well. Apple picking is under way, and almost every correspondent reports a good crop in prospect; they are generally of extra good color and quality. Quinces are good in Worcester county.

Rain Has Not Reached Wells.

Although the rainfall in parts of Rhode Island, including that which fell on the 17th, was 3¼ inches, the correspondents report that wells have not felt its effects yet. The streams in pastures, however, have been filled, and all grass fields and pastures and newly seeded pieces have been greatly helped. Late garden and forage crops are growing well. Apple picking has begun, and in Providence county the crop is estimated below average. The latter part of the week gave good weather for curing corn.

Rain Was Heavy.

In many places in southwestern Connecticut the rain of the 19th and 20th gave the greatest amount that has fallen in one storm for over a year. The rowen crop generally is pronounced a failure, but the pastures and meadows are green and growing very fast, and there will be plenty of fall feed. Grass seed sown last spring with grain has been killed out on dry knolls, but no correspondent reports anticipation of a short hay crop next year on account of this season's drought.

The correspondent at West Simsbury states that he can find no turf that was entirely killed. The observer at New London says: "The pastures, except in places where the drought killed the roots (which does not appear as serious as first expected), are in prime condition. The prospects for next year are very bright and satisfactory." Fall plowing is under way. Turnips are good. Cabbage, celery, etc., are growing very fast, though in Fairfield county the celery is reported unusually poor. Tomatoes are doing better. Buckwheat is ripening well with prospect of medium yield. Late corn is ripening finely in the good weather; the earlier corn is mostly out and gives a good yield. Apple picking has begun and most correspondents report a fair yield of winter fruit in prospect.

Incendiaries at Work

ERIE, Pa., Sept. 25.—The firebug applied his torch to the Erie city shops last night. A northwest breeze drove the flames over the five acre plant. The united efforts of the fire department could do nothing but save adjoining property. The shops were built [illegible] years ago and were valued at $250,000. This is the sixth incendiary fire that has occurred during the week.

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

THE FOSTER CASE

Livingston Identifies Nagle While in the Dock.

BIG CROWD AT THIS REMARKABLY TRIAL.

Constable Livingston the First Important Witness.

There was an appearance of unusual activity about the old Market house this morning, which betokened the occurrence of an event of more importance than those incidental to the regular police court business.

A murder trial was on the docket.

This was what brought the crowd. There were witnesses by the score, but the majority of those who crowded within the narrow confines of the court room were brought there through curiosity, for a murder case has an attraction for the curious which seems irresistible.

The court room was filled long before 10 o'clock while a big crowd which was unable to gain admittance loitered around the entrance.

The alleged murderers were brought up from Cambridge early in the morning and remained downstairs until after the regular business had been transacted.

Their attorney, Lawyer Curran of Woburn, was on hand early, and he expressed the opinion that the government would not have matters its own way by any means.

The three alleged murderers, Patrick Sullivan, Patrick Foley and Cornelius Nagle were brought upstairs at 11.40 o'clock and were assigned seats in the dock.

All three were neatly dressed and were much more prepossessing in appearance than when arrested.

As the men came into court those near were surprised to see that Foley had a "black eye."

His face was without a mark when he appeared in court on the day after his arrest, but he wore a blue mark under his right eye this morning.

During the time occupied by the trial of a minor case Lawyer Curran conversed with his clients who appeared unconcerned for men in their position.

District Attorney Wier was present to present the case for the government.

When asked where Foley got the black eyes, for such they appeared to be, Lawyer Curran smiled and said: "Oh! that's the way they treat a man in jail," and offered no other explanation.

The Witnesses Sworn.

The case was called at 11.55 and the government witnesses, 24 in number, were sworn.

Then tables were moved and chairs supplied, for the police court had not seen many murder trials and was not "in condition" for one.

Constable Livingston

of North Billerica, who has figured so prominently in the case, was the first witness called. He was not present.

After a short search he came in accompanied by five other witnesses who had not been summoned, making a total number of 30 witnesses.

Constable Livingston had just left a sick bed and sat down while on the stand. He looked decidedly ill.

He testified in answer to questions of the district attorney. On the night of Sept. 11th, I was summoned at my house by Messrs. Cox, Foster and Nichols of Burlington; with them I drove in a one horse open wagon to the Lexington road, a mile and a half from my house. It was about 12 o'clock. I got out of the team to look at tracks and found them, which I followed towards Tewksbury Centre to Leonard's corner, one mile from Billerica Centre. The tracks turned here and I followed 20 rods further.

Nagle Identified.

"Then I came up to a team which was standing in the side of the road facing the centre of the town. There was a man holding the horse.

"He is here. He is that first man in the dock. (Nagle.)

CORNELIUS NAGLE.

"We stopped at the wagon and I stepped up to the man holding the horse and arrested him. I took hold of him. I don't think he said anything. I took out my revolver when I jumped out of the wagon; held it in my right hand and caught him with my left. I gave Mr. Nichols my handcuffs to put on him; Mr. Cox took his other arm. Nichols could not put them on. In the meantime I saw two men coming over the wall, on the other side, and then I heard shots fired. We wasn't there a quarter of a minute when I saw the two men. I withdrew my hand to get the handcuffs and put them back. During this time their revolvers were levelled at the arrested man's breast.

"When we jumped out of the team, it was opposite the other wagon. When these men jumped over the wall, our wagon moved up some 15 feet.

"Cox's horse was standing still when the shot was fired. Fox went off somewhere, I backed, and Nagle stood at the horse's head. The horse which Nagle held faced down hill, and the other faced up. I backed up the hill when the shot was fired. I was on the side with the men who came over the wall.

"At that time Foster was in the other team some 20 feet removed. The horse moved immediately after the shots were fired.

"All the time Nagle held the horse, while Nichols went up the road. Then two more shots were fired. When the men got about 15 feet from me they fired the second time up the hill. I could see the revolvers, and hear them flash. They were opposite their horse's head, and I was up the hill.

He Shot Back.

After the second volley I fired one shot. Before that, when I was holding Nagle, I tried to fire and couldn't make my revolver work.

At this point Mr. Livingston's illness began to show itself.

During the recess a large photo of the scene of the tragedy was shown the court.

The prisoners chewed tobacco quietly and whispered to each other.

The Trial Resumed.

When asked why his pistol would not work, Mr. Livingston replied that his revolver was rusty. The hammer didn't snap, then it was he went up the road while the two men came opposite the other horse's head. Then two shots were fired at about the same time, each one of the two firing a shot, one bullet went by witnesses' ear.

"Then I fired my revolver.

"Nichols fired a shot. I fired down the road towards these two men, and as many as six, seven or eight were fired back at me, each of the two men fired, while Nagle still held the horse.

"When the third volley was fired I went up the road about 30 feet further.

"They then got into the wagon in a hurry and drove up towards Billerica Center. I immediately followed. I did not know that Foster was shot. I ran and kept the team in sight for some distance. The night was bright. At the top of the hill by Mr. Hale's place I lost sight of the wagon. I could not identify the two men in the road."

Witness then explained the situation by means of the photographs.

Resuming his testimony he said: "I noticed a peculiarity about the horse's track, one shoe was smaller than the other, on the hind foot. I found grain, a blanket and other things on the road."

The Wagon Identified.

Witness said he had seen the wagon in Woburn and identified it.

Again, Mr. Livingston became too tired to testify further and a recess was taken.

THE STRIKE ENDED.

Many of the Clothing Makers in Boston Agree to the Strikers' Demands.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, Sept. 24—The backbone of the big clothing strike is broken as eight contractors signed agreements, gave bonds and opened their shops to 1000 operatives. Twenty others are expected to open and by night 2500 operatives will be at work.

SO. NEWMARKET SAVED.

It Had a Very Close Shave from Entire Destruction.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

EXETER, Sept. 24.—By the aid of outside help the village of So. Newmarket was saved about noon from the fire which broke out early this morning. The arrival of hose from Dover, and its use stopped the fire at Frank Durrell's house adjoining the Congregational church. The loss will be $20,000.

Broke The 100 Mile Record.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

CHICAGO, Sept. 24—O. F. Browman the crack bicyclist broke the 100 mile record at the Elgin, Aurora track today, by 37 1-2 minutes, doing it in six hours and 8 minutes.

Peter Gerlo is Dying.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, Sept. 24—Peter Berlo the crack bicycle rider, is dying at the city hospital of inflammation of the bowels.

Who Threw That Brick?

While Officer Brosnan was arresting a drunken man on Lakeview avenue yesterday afternoon, some one in the crowd threw a brick at him. The thrower aimed badly and the brick going by the officer's head struck a woman in the forehead, who was wheeling a baby carriage by the scene. The woman received a cut on the forehead.

This Officer Now Uses Cologne.

Those who are on, are having a big laugh at the expense of a police officer who mistook a skunk for a cat Friday night. The officer discovered his mistake after the animal had performed that "delicate function" for which it is noted.

Gov. Greenhalge's Name.

At the republican state convention Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge will present Gov. Greenhalge's name.

An Increase of 500.

The number of pupils who attended school last week was 8354, an increase of 500 over the opening week a year ago.

Some Costly Panes.

It will cost $370 for the plate glass in the new cupola of St. John's hospital.

The fire alarm from box 42 was for a slight blaze on Grand street. Damage slight.

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ASKS FOR ARGUMENTS.

Bishop Spaulding's Reply to a Criticism by Bishop Keen.

PEORIA, Ills., Sept. 25.—Bishop Spaulding has furnished the following written statement with reference to the severe criticism passed by Bishop Keen upon his recent A. P. A. article in the North American Review, and supposed to have been inspired by the Vatican:

"I have read Bishop Keen's criticism on my article, and as it has not been disowned I must suppose it to be authentic. The important question is whether what I have published in The Review is true. A thing may be unfortunately true, and this is doubtless the bishop's meaning when he calls my article unfortunate.

"He says also that it is untimely, but I fail to see how this epithet can be applied in any right sense to the honest and dispassionate discussion of a subject which now attracts general attention and is not without importance. If my moderate expression of views of a question which is actually before the public, and which is of concern to both the country and the church, is to be condemned as unfortunate and ill-timed, then national discussion among Catholics is no longer to be thought of and the Catholic university is but a pretense.

"If what is said of Cardinal Gibbons is true, the least I can do, I suppose, is to regret that he should have to express his regret to the pope. Regrets, however, are idle, and the manly and American thing to do is to confront me with arguments and not to attempt to frighten me with groanings."

After Errors.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst fired another broadside at the Second Reformed Presbyterian church last night. He said: "The city of New York is at present the most phenomenal in the world. The recent outbreak of crime is unparalleled. The spirit of anarchy is abroad. There is such a regard for all police regulations as should make us blush if we do not tremble. If Superintendent Byrnes were to step squarely to the front and say: 'I am going to take up the obligations that devolve upon me, and if I am interfered with I will make it known to the community,' I believe the response would be thrilling."

Relics of Old-Time Barbarity.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 25.—A number of skeletons, with manacles attached to the arm and leg bones, have been found buried close to the surface of the courtyard of the custom house here. A similar discovery was made a few years ago at almost the same place, but upon the former occasion instruments of torture were also discovered with the skeletons. A secret chancellery of the tyrannical regent, Byrno, the favorite of Empress Anna, who reigned 1730-36, was situated where the remains were found.

Father Furnished Bail.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Herman Clark, the young broker under arrest for wrecking the brokerage firm of Hunter, Clark & Jacob of this city, was bailed out yesterday by his father. The bail was fixed at $10,000. Clark was out on bail before, but was surrendered by his father because he would not leave the woman for whom he had forsaken his wife.

Arsenic In the Coffee.

MEMPHIS, Sept. 25.—Mrs. Mattie Osborn, her four children, and W. E. Hunt, a boarder in the family, were poisoned yesterday by arsenic in their coffee, which Mrs. Osborn had herself prepared. Mrs. Osborn, her son Willie and daughter Mattie, and Hunt, are in a critical condition. There is no clew to the mystery of their poisoning.

Sixth Week of Idleness.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Sept. 25.—The sixth week of idleness in this city opens without any promise of an early resumption of work. The manufacturers seem more united than ever in their determination to make the operatives yield to their terms. Among the weavers there is much dissatisfaction because only one-half strike pay was allowed.

Crops Are Poor.

ROME, Sept. 25.—Serious complaints are being made in regard to the drought. In the Tyrol and southern Alps only has there been sufficient rain. The corn crop is pronounced to be poor, and the wine crop, although of good quality, is poor in quantity. The olive crop is good.

Athletes Injured.

HANOVER, N. H., Sept. 25.—Little of the Dartmouth football team broke the ligaments in his shoulder yesterday, disabling him, and Pollard, half-back, cracked his collar bone, laying him off for the rest of the season.

The Bulgarian Elections.

SOFIA, Sept. 25.—Returns from 153 districts show the election of 114 ministerialists and 39 members of the opposition

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TAXES.

Collector's Notice.

The assessors have committed to the Collector of Taxes the

TAX LIST FOR 1894,

With instructions to collect in the manner prescribed by the Statutes of the Commonwealth and the Ordinances of the City of Lowell, the sums assessed by them to the persons named therein, and he is now ready to receive payment of said Taxes at his office in City Hall.

When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the Collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or about November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent. per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1894, until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said Taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed on every male inhabitant above the age of 20 years. On undivided real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

The assessors are now distributing Tax Bills. If any ratable inhabitant, by removing his residence since the first day of May, or from any cause, should not receive his Tax Bill, he must consider the Tax demanded by this notice, and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes if a Tax has been assessed.

All who preserve their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1894 IS $17.40 ON $1000.

Office Hours: From 9 o'clock a.m. to 3 p.m.

For the convenience of the Tax paying public the office of the Collector will be open in the evening as follows: Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 1 to Oct. 31, inclusive, 7 to 8 o'clock p. m. Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, from Oct. 15 to Oct. 29, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m.

☞ Look for your Tax Bill at your place of residence May 1st, 1894, and bring it with you.

JOHN H. HARRINGTON,
City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Lowell.

Fifth Congressional District Democratic Convention.

The democrats of the several cities and towns comprising the fifth congressional district are respectfully requested to send delegates to a convention to be held in City Hall, Lawrence, on Tuesday, September 25, 1894, at eleven o'clock, a. m.

The business to be transacted is the placing in nomination a candidate for congress for this district, electing a district committee, and such other matters as may properly come before the convention.

The basis of representation will be the same as at the state convention.

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Job lot of Women's Button Boots, 25c.; also a job lot of Ladies' Serge Lace Shoes, former price 75c., our price 45c.
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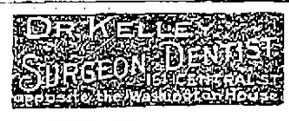

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR TUESDAY, SEPT. 25.

SUN RISES	5 35	MOON RISES	12 50 AM
SUN SETS	5 33	FULL SEA	7 31 AM / 7 25 PM
LENGTH OF DAY	12 01		

Forecast for New England: Fair; cooler; northwest winds, diminishing.

LOCAL NEWS.

Be joyful and smoke Tower's corner.

The Daughters of Liberty had two candidates and three applications last evening.

Prohibitory county convention in Boston tomorrow noon, and congressional convention at Lawrence Saturday.

The Putnam Guards' rifle team defeated the Concord Light Artillery team, Co. I, Sixth regiment, at the Concord range, Saturday 295 to 281.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horne have presented them with two beautiful pictures, to mark the twelfth anniversary of their marriage.

Over 9000 Registered.

The number of pupils enrolled at the public schools during last week was 8822. Yesterday there were 9001 pupils registered.

A Serious Wound.

Claude Hamilton, son of Mrs. H. B. Hamilton of Methuen street, is laid up with a painful wound to the foot caused by stepping on a nail. This is a very serious accident.

Asst. Supt. Courtney Retained.

Assistant Superintendent Courtney has been reinstated by Supt. Crowley, of the street department. The reinstatement occurred yesterday and Mr. Courtney at once resumed his duties.

Loungers Must Keep On the Move.

The complaints made to the police of loungers on the canal bridge opposite the Merrimack street depot resulted in the arrest of seven who would not "move on" when ordered to last night.

Miserables Are Still Winning.

The Miserables easily defeated the Big 12 in the bowling tournament last evening. Neylon with 512 was high man, and Marren and McLaughlin were tied at 508. The score was Miserables 2418; Big 12, 2300.

Arrested for Wholesale Breaks.

Inspectors Laflamme and Allen arrested Willie Gelineau in Little Canada yesterday accused of breaking and entering and larceny of goods and money from Swan & Smith's shoe store, Foote's music store, Charles Swan's drug store, J. J. Mahoney's cigar store, Sullivan's fish market, and Willis variety store on Race street. These breaks were made during the summer. Gelineau admits his guilt.

With the Right Spirit.

The Columbian democratic club of Ward One held a meeting last night in St. Joseph's hall, Dutton street. Eight new members were admitted and 12 applications for membership received. The following officers were elected: President, Michael J. Brum; vice president, Patrick McDermott; Rec. Sec., Thomas J. Coleman; treasurer, Dominick Meehan.

The club is in a flourishing condition and will endeavor to advance the interests of the democratic party during the coming campaign.

KILLED BY CARS.

An Old Soldier Formerly of Lowell Meets Death on the Rail.

Archibald Leckie, an old sailor, who resided in Lowell, was killed instantly at Thompson's point, near Portland, Sunday afternoon. In his clothes was found the card of Mr. Tyrrell with Mrs. Fowler, 75 Summer street, Lowell, Mass. The old man went into the round house to get a drink of water and coming out again on the track, at a curve, was struck by a special, the engineer not having time to save him. For a number of years, Leckie was boss dyer at Walker & Son's, Lawrence street, and also worked in Scripture's laundry. He was a member of Post 42 G. A. R., and derived an income of $300 a year from property in Scotland. He leaves a wife and family. The remains will be brought here for interment.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

From Being Buried Under an Embankment at the East Merrimack Street Bridge.

A gang of men employed on the East Merrimack street bridge had a miraculous escape from being buried alive last night about 9.15 o'clock.

The men were working in a trench beneath a high bank on the Massachusetts side. The bank was undermined and all of a sudden it cracked on the top and a large pile of it weighing about fifty tons rolled down upon the men. Fortunately all but two made their escape to the further end of the trench in which they were digging, just in time to avoid being crushed.

Two were pinned against a pile of stones and although they were standing erect they were nearly buried by clay which was soft and sandy and did not injure them except by its weight. The box which they were filling was buried to a depth of five or six feet. It took ten men digging for twenty minutes to extricate the men. Dick Riley got the most severe crushing, but fortunately escaped without serious injury. The other man was covered to the waist.

RECEPTION BY PUPILS

To Rev. Fr. Wm. O'Brien, Pastor at St. Michael's Church by the Children of the Parish.

The children of St. Michael's parochial school tendered a very pleasant reception to their beloved pastor, Rev. William O'Brien, this morning. It took place in the cozy school hall, at 10 o'clock, and in honor of the happy occasion the hall was festooned with draperies of lace. The stage, on which were seated besides the reverend guest, the clergymen of the parish and a number of friends, was decorated prettily with palms and tropical plants. The following well selected program was carried out: Welcome song, all the pupils; address, Kittie Breen; "Take me back to home and mother," song, boys; recitation, Jimmie Monahan; address, Minnie Sullivan; "Now we little children," *Minims*; recitation, Vera McArdell; our pastor, song, all the pupils; recitation, Kittie McDonough; "Happy Days," *song, girls*; recitation, Jimmie McDonald; address, Pommie Reynolds; Welcome, song, school. *Pianist, Miss K. Minahan.*

The program was well rendered, the children sustaining their parts in a manner creditable even to older persons. The address of welcome delivered by Miss Kittie Breen, was a very pretty bit of composition and was spoken finely. At the conclusion of the program Rev. Fr. O'Brien was presented with a beautiful basket of choice flowers, the gift of the children of the school.

The recipient thanked his little friends in a brief speech which he followed with a few interesting stories on his recent trip, and closed by giving the school a holiday.

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Patten & Co. have the finest potted and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

Miss Josephine T. Riordan, 179 Gorham street, will resume teaching on the piano and organ about October first.

A true, life-like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barristers' hall and have a sitting made.

Evening Schools to Open.

The sub-committee on evening schools has voted to open the evening schools on Monday, Oct. 22d.

The Temple of Design.

Milliners have something to say this week which is of special interest to the ladies of this city. When going by the Kunels' building in Merrimack square do not fail to call in at the Temple of Design as you will see the correct styles in fall and winter millinery.

Lowell Symphony Orchestra.

This musical society has elected these officers for the season: President, W. H. Valentine; vice president, Arthur Whitney; secretary, Percy Burleigh; treasurer, George Bryant; conductor, R. A. McDaniels. The orchestra will begin rehearsals next Sunday.

Poisoned by Dogwood.

Among the floral and harvest decorations at the Kaffa Klatsch, at the Eliot church last week, were branches of dogwood. Many young people who attended the affair, and are susceptible to dogwood poisoning, are now suffering from the effects of the poison. No serious results are anticipated.

Abandoned Her Child.

A woman giving the name of Minnie Chase and her residence as Boston left her year old child with a lady in Dracut several months ago, who promised to board the young one. The mother paid one month's board in advance but has not been seen since. The child is now at the Day Nursery on Kirk street.

NO SCHOOL BOARD

Met at Its Rooms Owing to the Absence of Republican Members.

Last evening was the regular meeting night of the school board but no session was held.

Yesterday afternoon Mayor Pickman left word at Supt. Whitcomb's office that he was not feeling well and so would not attend the meeting in the evening. Mr. Swapp also informed one of the democratic members that he would not attend. In view of this it was safe to say that there would be no meeting, as the republicans would refuse to do business unless every republican member was present. The only members present at the committee rooms last evening were members of the committee on salaries and evening schools.

THE NEW SOUTH.

Magnificent Performance of One of the Strongest Dramas Ever Presented at Our Opera House—The Pay Train at Music Hall.

The New South is the name of one of the strongest dramas ever given in our Opera house. Strong in dramatic lines and situations, with climaxes more intense than the melo-dramatic, it was magnificently presented by as fine a company as ever gotten together. The title of the play suggests a story of the late war; not so, it is a story of the New South in which new thoughts, new patriotism, new lives burst from the chrysalis of the Old South. The story is based on sectional and race prejudices, and it weaves into action the legislative act in Georgia of leasing state convicts to individuals. There is abundant material for a drama and it is charmingly drawn. Capt. Harry Ford, U. S. A., in love with Georgia Gwynne, a daughter of Gen. Gwynne, a gentleman of the old south, is falsely accused of killing Jefferson Gwynne, a congressional candidate who was really killed by Sampson, a negro politician of the worst type. Ford is sentenced and serves under Fitzhugh, a speculator in convict labor, who heaps cruelty on him.

Miss Gwynne learning of this and convinced of Ford's innocence leases the convict and gives him opportunity to obtain evidence of his innocence, implicating Sampson and Fitzhugh, the latter through purchase of the negro vote.

Delightful indeed is the piece enacted, each character taking its place so naturally that the spectators seems a confidant of the family. The New South is not a melodrama although the first act might create that impression. It is a story not unlike only stronger and more advanced than Alabama. Joseph Grismer, the author, and Miss Phebe Davies, who play the leads, are favorites instantly as Capt. Ford and Miss Gwynne. This is their first trip east, for they are widely known in the west. Every member of their support is strong, the Gen. Gwynne of Scott Cooper being a remarkable character and his southern dialect was fairly delicious. Space will not permit individual notice but in all seriousness the New South is one of the finest dramas seen here and a crowded house should greet it tonight.

UNDER THE CLOAK OF F. C. B.

A KNIGHT OF PYTHIAS DUPES HIS BRETHREN IN THE ORDER.

Wamesit Lodge of This City Suffers at the Hands of a Scoundrel Who May Have Broken Into the Lodge Desk.

There is a big sensation in Pythian circles on account of a bold scheme to rob the order. On Monday, Sept. 17, Wamesit lodge received a communication from the Pittsfield, Me., lodge stating that one, J. B. Read, purporting to be a member of Wamesit lodge had presented a draft on the lodge, and asking if he was all right. Examination showed the draft to be a fraud. The lodge telegraphed to hold Read, but he had got the money, $20, before the telegram reached there. Three more lodges have been heard from from whom he has received money by false pretences. The drafts used were all stolen from the lodge. To one order the thief forged the name of Frank H. Harris. The wily knight is still at large.

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A WHITNEY BOOM

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FOR GOVERNOR OF THE EMPIRE STATE.

Judge Gaynor is Positively Out of the Race.

SARATOGA, Sept. 25.—The Democratic state convention met in the convention hall at noon today and Senator Hill made his address as the temporary chairman of the meeting. Committees were appointed on credentials, permanent organization and platform, and the convention took a recess until tomorrow noon, when it will meet at the old skating rink where the convention that nominated Flower met in 1891. No nominations will be made today.

There is not a man versed in the ways of conventions of political parties that ever saw a situation like that which confronts the convention. The predicament is explained in a very few words by Lieutenant Governor Sheehan. He said: "There is not a man or politician here that knows who the nominee of the party will be until the convention meets. It is anybody or any faction's candidate, and the convention will be a Democratic one in every sense of the word."

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY.

The Tammanyites will come as one man for William C. Whitney. There is one significant fact in all this startling boom for Whitney, and that is that Mayor Gilroy, who was in Europe with Mr. Whitney during the past month, has nothing to say when asked as to the candidacy of the man, but smiles and says: "Wait until he comes and he will talk for himself."

The Platform.

The platform, as drawn up, contains a very great many planks that will probably be subject to revision, but as a whole, it will not be changed except as to the way in which it will read.

It renews its pledges of fidelity to principles of Democracy and affirms the planks of the national platform of 1892. It arraigns the Republican party in the state for attempting to deceive the people by pretending to cut down the state tax rate, when in effect it put over the payment of appropriations made by the legislature until the next year, for purely campaign purposes.

The work of the constitutional convention is criticised as partisan, and tending to burden the people with unnecessary additional expenses. It alleges that the purely reform measures, such as the forestry article, the charities article, the prison labor and canal articles, were passed by Democratic votes, but that the majority turned the convention into a political body by attempting to make a normally Democratic state Republican. It says that no home rule has been arranged for cities, and that the country districts have been favored as against the cities of the state.

On the tariff it declares that there should be no more general tariff legislation for years, but that if there be any necessity it should be by special act and then only when necessary to remove duty on raw materials. The income tax is entirely ignored.

Relating to canals, it declares for extensive improvements by bonding the state so as to allow the state to compete with Canada in the transportation of grain and lumber.

It denounces the principles of the American Protective association as un-American and in violation of the constitution, which provides for equality regardless of religion. It endorses the administration of Governor Flower at Albany and Senator Hill at Washington.

Hill in the Dark.

Senator Hill arrived late yesterday afternoon and opened headquarters at the Grand Union hotel. From the time of his arrival until a late hour of the night he was besieged by crowds of delegates. He said: "I received word that I was to be the temporary chairman of the convention today. I know nothing about who is the most prominent candidate and I have no opinion to express as to who will be the nominee of the convention."

Later he was shown a dispatch concerning the declination of Judge Gaynor, and he said, laconically: "It seems that the proper thing is to refuse to be a candidate."

Tammany's braves struck the village about 4:30 yesterday afternoon. Three sections of a special train, each containing 10 coaches, brought the crowd, which numbered in all nearly 1500. There were no bands on board, but enthusiasm was rampant and there was plenty of excitement.

Several of their delegates were seen in regard to the placing of Tammany's strength, and every man favors William C. Whitney. When asked as to the Flower boom, which started in a mild way and increased with no little encouragement, they seemed to be unanimous enough, but expressed little hope of his retracting his withdrawal.

Gaynor Not a Candidate.

Mirabeau Lamar Towns of Kings county received a telegram from Mr. Gaynor refusing to accept the nomination. It reads as follows:

"I was elected justice of the supreme court last fall in a district comprising nine counties and one-fourth of the population of the state. The office came to me not from those in power, but from the people, and unsought. I was not able to see then that I was entitled to anything merely for having done what I could as a private citizen for honesty, decency and manliness in politics and in government, nor am I able to now.

"Anyhow, I cannot at this time lay down the office I hold. I could disregard the effect upon those dependent on me in the loss of the legal practice I gave up to go on the bench, and again in the loss of my present handsome salary, but I cannot again so soon appeal to the splendid individual integrity and intelligence which stood behind the ballots cast for me last fall.

"I have said all along, privately and publicly, orally and in writing, that I should not become a candidate for governor, and the above is my chiefest reason. As I am without a representative at Saratoga, and very busy here, I ask you to make this public. I am deeply moved by the favor shown me and never expected it."

For lieutenant governor, the name most prominently mentioned is that of Frederick Cook, who, it is said, will accept the place under Mr. Whitney, but under nobody else. If any other name is presented to the convention and nominated, then the nominee will be ex-Senator Linson of Ulster.

For judge of the court of appeals Spencer Clinton of Buffalo has the call, but D. Cady Herrick of Albany is mentioned as a very probable candidate.

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FAVORED BOSTON.

Errors by Porkopolitans Allowed the Beaneaters to Roll Up Runs.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 24.—Boston won through errors by Cincinnati which cost three runs.

Boston	2	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	—7
Cincinnati	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	—4

Base hits—Boston, 12; Cincinnati, 6. Errors—Boston, 2; Cincinnati, 4. Batteries—Stivetts and Ganzell; Fischer and Merritt.

At Louisville:

New York	1	0	0	2	0	0	2			—5
Louisville	4	0	2	0	0	1	0		0	—7

Base hits—New York, 9; Louisville, 7. Errors—New York, 2; Louisville, 3. Batteries—Meekin and Farrell; Knell and Cote.

At Cleveland:

Cleveland	2	7	0	0	0	3	0	0		—12
Baltimore	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	—7

Base hits—Cleveland, 15; Baltimore, 9. Errors—Cleveland, 5; Baltimore, 2. Batteries—Cuppy and Zimmer; Hawke, Gleason and Robinson.

At St. Louis:

Philadelphia	0	5	5	0	1	2	0	0	8	—21
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1

Base hits—Philadelphia, 22; St. Louis, 7. Errors—St. Louis, 6. Batteries—Johnson and Buckley; Clarkson and Twineham.

At Pittsburg:

Pittsburg	1	1	3	0	0	4	1	0		—10
Brooklyn	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—4

Base hits—Pittsburg, 15; Brooklyn, 6. Errors—Pittsburg, 2; Brooklyn, 2. Batteries—Mason and Weaver; Stein and Kinslow.

At Chicago:

Chicago	1	2	4	0	2	0	3	6	0	—17
Washington	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	—4

Base hits—Chicago, 20; Washington, 12. Errors—Chicago, 3; Washington, 4. Batteries—Hutchison and Schriver; Stockdale and Duggele.

Back to Civilization.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Sept. 25.—The last of the parties put ashore on the Labrador coast by the steamer Miranda returned here by the vessel Virginia Lake. This was the University of Pennsylvania expedition, consisting of four professors. The party spent the summer making an exploration of Sandwick bay, north Labrador. Three great rivers were explored and charts of them made. Valuable collections of birds and butterflies were obtained. All are satisfied with the result of the expedition.

Boston's Election Muddle.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—The Roxbury courtroom was crowded yesterday with politicians and members of the bar to hear the case against the four caucus officials of ward 19—Lynch, Hickey, Mulherne and Dowd, charged with violation of the election laws at the caucus last Friday night. Mulherne and Lynch are arraigned on two charges, and Dowd and Hickey on one. It was decided to hear the case on Oct. 3. Bail was fixed at $300.

Adjourned to Washington.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The United States strike commission, appointed to investigate the recent Chicago labor troubles, has adjourned its hearings from Chicago to Washington, and the commission will meet in this city on Sept. 26, at which time the commission will be in readiness to receive in writing any suggestions which may be made relative to the solution of questions involved in the late controversy.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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Bad For Bulls.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Wheat bulls are well nigh discouraged. With prices lower than they have ever been in the history of the trade, there seems to be nothing upon which the market can get a foothold. Yesterday witnessed more heavy selling, following a sharp break in corn, and December sank to 58 1-16c. Apparently wheat is without friends.

Had a Close Call.

EXETER, N. H., Sept. 25.—The town of South Newmarket suffered the most serious fire it has had in 20 years, and its loss was kept within $15,000 only by the aid of outside firemen. Two double tenement houses, two stables and the only hotel in the place are now in ashes.

John Bond's Error.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 25.—At a christening party at Patapsco Neck, John Boyd took up an old army musket, supposed to be unloaded, and proceeded to explain how it was used during the war. The gun exploded, killing a child and dangerously wounding the little one's mother.

Famine May Compel Surrender.

THE HAGUE, Sept. 25.—Dispatches from Batavia, Java, say that Matarama, capital of the island of Lombok, has been almost destroyed by the bombardment of the Dutch fleet. The besieged Balinese are beginning to suffer from famine, and are expected to capitulate shortly.

Patterson Draws Out.

MELBOURNE, Sept. 25.—President Patterson has resigned, owing to the result of the elections, a feature of which was the annihilation of the free trade party. Patterson was re-elected, but his party and policy did not receive the support he expected.

Puddlers on Strike.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 25.—The puddlers at the Oliver Iron and Steel works struck yesterday against a 25 per cent reduction, and all but four furnaces closed down.

The Czar's Ailment.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 25.—It is stated that the czar is suffering from bright's disease of the kidneys.

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'Twas a Test Case.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 25.—Dec. 8, 1886, a barge of cotton consigned to several New England mills burned near Cairo, Ills., presumably from sparks from a locomotive or steamer. The owners in a test case instituted suit against the Cairo, Vincennes and Chicago railroad, alleging the railroad was negligent in leaving the barge lying for 18 days after arrival at Cairo exposed to sparks from trains and steamers. Judge Allen yesterday rendered a judgment of $35,887 in favor of the Lancaster mills of Clinton, Mass. Claims of other companies, including costs, aggregate $60,000.

Going to Court.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—The board of aldermen last evening passed an order requesting Attorney General Knowlton to institute proceedings to enjoin the Brookline Gas company from further digging up the streets without a permit from the board, over the mayor's veto. The aldermen claim that it is not in the mayor's province to issue permits, while the mayor makes the opposite contention.

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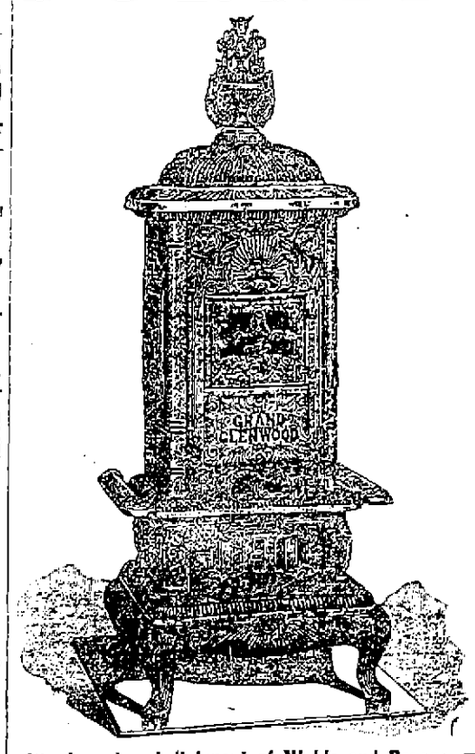

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☞THE SUN is the only paper in Lowell receiving The Associated Press, cable and telegraphic despatches. Most of the news items in this issue can be found in the other local papers tomorrow, if you are willing to wait till then.

Later News in Six o'clock Extra.

FOSTER TRAGEDY

Rigid Cross Examination of Billerica Men.

LAWYER CURRAN WORKING HARD FOR HIS CLIENTS.

Different Stories of the Midnight Battle.

The hearing over the Foster tragedy is still on and will quite likely continue today and tomorrow. Continuing the taking of evidence from the point left off in THE SUN of yesterday's extra edition the hearing progressed as given below:

Henry Pryor Cox

of Billerica was called. He asked for a glass of water evidently foreseeing a long examination.

He testified that he was a married man and had lived at Mr. McIntyre's house for two years. Mr. McIntyre's house is on the cross roads to Woburn and is about quarter of a mile from the junction of the Billerica and Burlington roads.

On the night of the shooting, he was awakened at 10.30 by Messrs. Foster and Nichols.

Mr. Wier asked what Mr. Foster said to him and Mr. Curran objected, a lengthy argument following. The district attorney claimed that he wanted to make witness conduct in going after the men justifiable.

Lawyer Curran argued the point very strongly. He was willing to admit that Cox had reason to believe that some one had robbed Foster. The testimony then went on, the question remaining unanswered as the court excluded it and any conversation between the witness and Mr. Foster.

As a result of the conversation, witness harnessed his open buggy, and he with Nichols and Foster went along the road.

On the road to Billerica they passed a team standing at Paschal's about three miles from the Center on the road.

A man was standing by the horse, apparently fixing the harness. They then drove on to the Stearns house and got Mr. Livingston and all four went off, following the tracks of the wagon, which had been standing at Paschal's. They got out on the Bedford road opposite the wagon, which they found standing at one side of the road, a man holding the horse. He noticed a peculiarity about the horse's tracks and thought the horse shoe shown in court would make tracks similar to those in the road.

Cox's Story of the Shooting.

"We all got out of the wagon except Mr. Foster. Mr. Livingston caught the man at the horse, and he started to run around the wagon. I ran around the other way, and caught his right arm putting my other hand on his throat. When the men came over the wall, I let go of him. Mr. Nichols, at this time was trying to put on the handcuffs. Livingston had his revolver pointed at the man's breast, while Nichols had one pointed at his head.

"I did not see the men after the first shot. I saw them about the time they fired. I did not know where the first shots struck. I ran behind the wagon until after the second volley when I ran up behind my horse. No shots were fired in the second voley. I think eight or ten shots were fired in all. When I was standing behind the wagon, Foster was in the wagon.

When I came from behind the wagon my horse was jumping and Mr. Foster appeared to be holding him in. He was sitting up, but I couldn't see whether he had the reins in his hand.

It was about 150 feet beyond that I saw his body.

After the shooting I came from behind the horse, when Mr. Cox called me and we went up to the next house and borrowed a team. It was Dr. Tyler's house. We went back to the road where the body was lying. He was lying face down.

When we found the carriage the off hind wheel was covered with blood. It was on both sides of the spokes more being on the top side. There was some blood on other parts of the carriage.

Cox Cross-Examined.

On cross examination witness said he and Foster were neighbors. On the night in question Mr. Foster was "sober enough."

What do you mean by "sober enough" asked Lawyer Curran.

"I meant that he was not drunk, though he had a drink in I could not smell it," answered Cox.

"Did the fact that he wasn't drunk, strike you as peculiar?"

"It did," said Cox.

At this point Nichols' revolver was produced. It was loaded and everyone in its range dodged.

"We had better unload this, your Honor, or there might be another accidental shooting" said Mr. Curran.

Officer Palmer unloaded one shell from the revolver and Cox identified it as the one Nichols had on the night of the 11th.

When asked to describe the man fixing the harness in the wagon outside of Paschal's house, he could not do so; didn't notice that he had a cap on; Nichols didn't say he wore one.

He and Livingston got out at Paschal's when they found the wagon gone and examined the tracks.

Coming once more to the time of the struggle on the road with the man said to be Nagle, the witness was cross-examined carefully. About the time of the shots, Nichols had his revolver pointed at the man's head; Livingston had his pointed at his breast, while he had the man by the arm and neck. The man didn't do any struggling to get away from the handcuffs.

Witness heard no one yell to him before the shots were fired. The two men when they shot, the second time, were pointing their revolvers up the road, in the direction of Livingston, though he couldn't say they aimed at him.

He got a good look at the man he grappled with. He described him to Chief McIntosh as a man about his height; in his opinion without a mustache and that he wore a cap.

Witness went down to Woburn and when he saw Nagle said:

"I'd say he was the same man, if he didn't have that mustache. I saw Nagle a few days after the shooting."

"You didn't identify Nagle then as the man who held the horse?" asked Mr. Curran.

"No sir," said Cox.

"You don't identify him now, do you?"

"No sir," was the answer.

Nagle was then asked to stand up in the dock that the witness might see his mustache and when Cox was asked by Mr. Curran if he could mistake that mustache that night and he replied "I might have been mistaken as he stood in the shadow of the bushes."

He noticed no name on the wagon nor did he hear the others say there was any name on it.

He saw the wagon supposed to be the one seen in the road in Woburn but could not identify it.

District Attorney Wier examined the witness again in regard to his conversation with Chief McIntosh, in Woburn, as in cross examination it appeared that he had been told to come down and see the wagon which had been in the road, instead of going to see if he could identify a wagon as the one seen.

Mr. Wier also asked him if he could identify Nagle as the man holding the horse and again he replied negatively.

Charles A. Nichols

was called next. It was admitted by the defendant's counsel that this party was justified in going in pursuit. The first part of his testimony was substantially the same as Mr. Cox's.

When they went up to the man who was holding the horse, Mr. Livingston said to him: "I guess you'll have to go with me."

He then related the circumstances which led up to the shooting. He pulled the revolvar on him afterwards and it went off.

Nichols Finds Foster.

"When the second volley was fired I ran, said Nichols. I didn't fire my revolver again because I didn't have time. The carriage in which Foster sat was moving when I ran. I kept on until I found Foster in the road."

Two pictures of the horse and wagon were shown witness, and he was asked if he could identify them. He said, "the wagon that I saw was some such sort of a wagon."

When asked if he could identify the man he saw on the road, he replied that he could not swear to his identity.

Lawyer Curran had just begun his cross-examination when adjournment was taken until 9.30 tomorrow morning.

Evidence Taken This Morning.

The hearing in the Foster case was resumed at 9.30 o'clock, this morning.

Charles A. Nichols was called for cross examination.

He said he had spoken to reporters since then. He didn't think he told them that all three ran from the team when the shot was fired. He couldn't swear, he repeated, to the identity of any of the men who did the shooting. Remembered being in the police station once in his life and then he was waiting for Cox; didn't remember whether he talked with people about the murder while there.

Last Thursday at the inquest he attempted to describe the murderers and he thought he had told his friends that one fellow had a mustache on, as he saw that when he came over the wall.

He told them, the fellow they held had a smooth face; thought he had on either a jumper or a cardigan; didn't think he said that his party ran away; wouldn't say he didn't. He remembered Mr. Livingston passing up the hill, but couldn't say he ran; couldn't say in what direction he went; didn't see Livingston fire when he came near him.

Witness said he was 30 feet away when he fired; aimed at one of the men; couldn't say which one.

Witness in describing the positions of the actors of the tragedy was very vague. He didn't notice what Livingston did when the first shots were fired, as he was the first to leave. He went into the road and pulled his revolver twice, pointing at the men in the road.

When the fellows in the road fired the second shot, one was near the center of the road and one near the wheel ruts on the side, nearly opposite their own wagon; Livingston was up the street, witness was 30 feet away, 10 feet above Livingston, couldn't say what Livingston was doing.

After the witness came back from Foster, he was pretty sure Livingston "hollered" "murder."

Witness was further questioned about conversation with Livingston and as he was slow in answering questions the court told him to speak quickly. Did not talk about the probability of Livingston shooting Foster.

Constable Livingston was recalled but as he did not have the revolver used on that night with him he was not questioned.

A. W. Allen, a carpenter of Billerica, identified the picture of a wagon as similar to a wagon he met at 12.40 the morning of the shooting on the road, after hearing shooting at some distance away. Horse was going rapidly; saw horse and wagon at Woburn with Chief McIntosh.

After he got home on the night of the murder he heard another team.

Gaffney Meets Sullivan.

Michael Gaffney of Somerville, is a peddler employed by a man named Lyons. On Tuesday, Sept. 11, he was in Lyon's yard.

Witness has known Patrick Sullivan for two months; he had been using a horse and wagon kept in Lyon's barn. On Tuesday, Sept. 11, saw Sullivan coming into the barn at 6 o'clock with a two horse tip cart; spoke to him about a horse. Sullivan unhitched the horses after the conversation; saw Sullivan go away after six; saw him come back a short time afterward; a man named McGaffigan was picking grapes at the time.

Witness said Lyons came into the yard; heard Sullivan ask McGaffigan for the loan of his forward wheels; he was allowed to take them.

Witness remained in the yard till 6.45; didn't see Sullivan after the conversation.

"After supper," said the witness, "I came out again and Sullivan was in the yard with the man in the dock, called Foley.

"Sullivan and Foley lifted the wagon, Lyons pulled out the wheels and I pushed McGaffigan's.

"About 7.45 Sullivan drove out. I didn't see Foley after the wheels were put on. Sullivan had gone out and came back at 7.40; said he was going out to Newton. He hitched a broncho into the wagon; it weighed about 700 or 800. I saw the broncho again Wednesday night, when Inspector Kelly took it out of the stable. One of the shafts on McGaffigan's gears was broken.

McGaffigan drove out with Sullivan. They went in the direction of the school house.

"Sullivan came back alone at 8.15. He drove up to the gate and drove away. It was his wagon but I couldn't tell who was inside." He didn't mean that he saw Sullivan.

Witness saw the wagon in the yard at 6 o'clock the next morning and saw Inspector Kelly take it away.

He couldn't tell whether he saw Foley again that night. Nagle and one other man came around and inquired for Sullivan about eight o'clock. Witness told them Sullivan had gone up the street and they went that way.

The horse in Sullivan's wagon was hitched rather short; didn't notice that he wore collar and haimes.

Witness, cross examined by Lawyer Curran, said that of late the yard has contained tip carts, trucks, etc.

He was pretty sure that the horse had on no collar and haimes; if the horse had them on he would have noticed it when hitching up.

On redirect examination Mr. Wier asked the witness if he had seen a blue wheel in the yard some two weeks before the murder, his object being to show that this wheel was taken from a place near the murder by some one in Sullivan's team, showing his familiarity with the roads in the vicinity of the scene of the murder. Lawyer Curran objected; the court allowed it. Witness saw the wheel in the yard but did not know how it came there.

Mr. Wier than asked if Sullivan borrowed a team from McGaffigan to show Sullivan borrowed a team and returned with the wheel. An argument upon the competency of the question followed. Witness couldn't answer positively. He never saw Sullivan take a wheel out of McGaffigan's wagon.

James McGaffigan, a pedler of Somerville owning his own team was the next witness. He keeps his horse at Lyon's stable. On Sept. 11, at 6.15, he went to feed his horse and met Gaffney. After feeding the horse he went out and picked grapes. Sullivan came there and asked for the loan of the wheels. Sullivan said before that "why didn't you pay this man?"

Witness didn't look down but thinking Sullivan meant Foley who had peddled with him the day before replied "Didn't I pay him, I gave him a belly full of beer?"

Witness told Sullivan to take the wheels and later on having gone home and returned, helped to harness the broncho. Witness got into the wagon with Sullivan and drove up a little way. Sullivan said he was going to Newton.

Witness got out and walked into a friend's store and coming out saw Foley, Nagle and Sullivan's father standing together. Some one of them said, "did you see Pat?" and witness told them where he went. The three started in that direction. Nagle turned around and asked him to have a drink and witness replied that he wasn't drinking.

Witness didn't see the men again that night.

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The first night of the Columbian bazaar proper was a grand occasion. Huntington hall was jammed full of people and the scene was an impressive one. The tables were pretty, the attendants charming and the gowns handsome.

The supply and refreshment tables were in charge of Miss Alice T. Clark and these assistants: Mrs. Cahill, Mrs. Gillon, Mrs. Richard Allen, Mrs. A. J. Loughlin, Mrs. Robert Lee, Miss Lynch and Mrs. O'Toole. The waitresses were Mrs. Gillon, Marie Smaller, Lolla Smaller, Minnie McSorley, Georgianna Harnden, Annie Kelley, Maggie O'Brien, Lizzie Kelley, Mabel Burns, Etta Kelley and Ella Harnden.

The candy table, a sweet place of course, was in charge of Miss Katherine Lennon, assisted by Misses Katherine Smith, Mary Lennon, Theresa Corbett, Annie King, Margaret King, Lizzie Lawler.

The lemonade table was in charge of Miss Sarah Sparks, assisted by Jennie Dunham and Maud Riley.

Holy Rosary table, President, Mrs. Jones; assistants, Mrs. James Gookin, Mrs. Tighe, and Mrs. Welch. Columbian table, President Margaret Sullivan, assistants; Misses Katie Lawler, Katie Allen, Maggie Sheehan, Mary Dacey, Katie Leavey. The Y. M. C. I. is presided over by Miss Norah Sheehan, Sarah McCaffrey, Mary Sheehan, Sarah McQuade, E. Woods, Annie Conlon, Mary Duggan, Margaret Sheehan, Nellie McGrade and Mrs. William Cogger.

The Children of Mary's table had Miss Julia Halloran as presiding lady. Her assistants were, Misses Margaret Smith, Mary Crotty, Etta King, Mary Cooney, Katie Sullivan, Lena Ewing, and Etta Burns.

St. Francis' table was in charge of Mrs. Shipley. Mrs. McCaffrey, Misses Mary A. Hoddard, Margaret McPherson, Mary Smith and Margaret Crane assisted Mrs. Shipley.

Sunday school table.—President, Miss Nellie Cavanaugh; assistants, the Misses Mary and Agnes Cavanaugh, Misses Agnes Haley, Katie Burgoyne, Katie Duffy, Susie Riley, Ella Harnden, Katie Riley, Annie McLaughlin. The pond was patronized by a very large number of people. Mr. James Flood is in charge and has Sarah McCaffrey and Annie Conlon to assist him. The dispensors of cool drinks are Michael Quinn, James McLaughlin, George Clark, and John Flannagan. The base ball practice is under the watchful eyes of John Payne, Jerry Leary and Joseph Cox. Last, but not least, are the grab bags. They are carried by Misses Mary Bouiger, Jennie Doherty, Agnes Sullivan and Winnie King.

The American orchestra was in attendance and rendered some very fine selections.

In our account of the Sunday evening concert we inadvertently overlooked the excellent work of the quartet consisting of P. P. Haggerty, T. P. Boulger, David B. Martin and James Murphy. Their singing was a feature of the evening.

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5 O'CLOCK

THE CONVENTION

Of the Fifth Congressional District at Lawrence.

MR. STEVENS EMPHATICALLY DECLINES THE NOMINATION.

Hon. George W. Fifield Will Probably Be Chosen.

Today the democrats of the fifth congressional district name a candidate to represent them in congress.

Early this morning little groups of the Lowell delegation were seen wending their way towards the depot to catch the train for Lawrence, while others drove over the road.

Senator Brady and a number of friends were among the latter. Henry Courtney and members of the Ward Two delegation went on the 8.30 train in order to make a survey of the situation in Lawrence, before the opening of the convention.

John J. Burns of Ward Five and his delegation, John J. Hogan and the bulk of the delegates from this city went down on the 10 o'clock train. They were a jolly crowd and nobody could notice any great concern as to who should be the nominee. Chairman Pearson and a portion of the Ward Two delegation were also on the train. From such a representative body of delegates it was easy to ascertain the feeling in regard to the various candidates mentioned. It was pretty evident that the majority was in favor of tendering the nomination to Hon. Moses T. Stevens in case he would consent to run but this generous sentiment was suddenly disposed of by a document which City Solicitor Hogan had in his possession. As chairman of the district committee, Mr. Stevens had written him the following communication:

NORTH ANDOVER, Mass., Sept. 24, 1894.

John J. Hogan, Esq., chairman of congressional committee.

Dear Sir:—Some of the democratic papers in this district have intimated that I might again consent to be a candidate for re-election as representative in congress.

I had hoped that the party would before this, be united on some strong man who could carry the district as I believe it can be done.

That there may be no uncertainty about my position, I will say that I should be compelled for reasons of health and business to decline a renomination, even if it was tendered me unanimously by the convention which is to meet tomorrow.

Yours truly,
M. T. STEVENS.

This settled the matter so far as Mr. Stevens' candidacy was concerned and as soon as the Stevens delegates were apprised of the fact, they at once became Fifield men.

A boom was started within the last two days for Congressman O'Neil in this district. Several delegates favored the idea of taking him up as compromise candidate. It is not necessary that a candidate should be a resident of the district.

Dr. Everett was elected in the seventh district, although a non-resident. There seems to be no reason, however, that the democrats of the fifth district should go outside to find a strong candidate for nomination.

LIKE SARDINES IN A BOX

WERE PEOPLE PACKED INTO A TEMPORARY COURT ROOM.

Judge Frye Presided at the Police Court While Judge Hadley Continued the Murder Hearing in the Big Court Room.

It is pretty evident that Lowell needs two judges of the municipal court. Business, both criminal and civil, is now of such a volume that Judge Hadley cannot handle it.

To dispose of criminal business Judge Frye held court in the special justice's room and it was packed with prisoners, officers and spectators, while the atmosphere was almost unbearable.

In the main court room the murder hearing was continued with a big attendance of witnesses.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

The first night of the Pay Train at Music hall saw a crowded house. Its performance demonstrated that it is one of the most successful melodramas on the road, and in the hands of the present excellent company, headed by Mable Davidson, a clever soubrette, it was never better given. The scenic equipment is worthy of mention, and to make the importance of the engagement more impressive it is stated that this is the first time The Pay Train has been staged at popular prices.

If you like minstrelsy and vaudeville just put in an evening at the Bijou for they have a lively bill this week, with a number of specialties by members of the colored troop which are remarkably clever. The songs, jig and buck dancing remind one of plantation scenes below Dixie's line. Great bill for popular prices; don't forget it.

Success in the Millinery Business.

This week marks the third anniversary of one of our successful milliners. We refer to Miss M. J. Brady of Palmer street. She deserves to be congratulated on her success in business and this season she will far excell all previous efforts in her line. Having just returned from New York and having seen the latest French and New York fashions and novelties she is preparing for her formal opening on Friday and Saturday. She promises one of the finest displays of fine hats and bonnets shown in Lowell. Everybody is cordially invited to be present to examine her rich and rare goods. Her prices this season will be as heretofore always the most reasonable in the city. Special inducements will be offered at the grand opening. Remember the time and place, Friday and Saturday, Miss M. J. Brady, Palmer street.

Japanese Were Slaughtered.

We are having a sale this week on Japanese varieties. The prices are marked away down. See the goods in our corner window. The U. S. Tea Co., corner Central and Prescott streets.

Why Not.

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing. Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

THE MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.'S ANNIVERSARY.

From a Reporter's Point of View.

No event this season created more interest than the anniversary celebration of the Merrimack clothing company Friday evening last. From 7 to 10 o'clock the strains of the American orchestra delighted thousands who visited and lingered in the various departments of the beautiful store. To say that it looked well would be putting it mildly. It never looked half so well. A beautiful alcove arranged with bunting was constructed over the office for the orchestra, and was a tribute to Manager O'Hearn's ingenuity.

Great interest was taken in the collection of suits for men as displayed in the windows, and the assortment cannot be rivaled in Lowell nor surpassed in New England.

$10 Suits

are the strongest features, being the most popular, and the policy of the concern in delaying the fall purchase until the settlement of the tariff gives patrons of the store an advantage which must be appreciated, because of its great gain to them. The "Free Wool" or "New Tariff Giant" is a suit for $10, which the company expects to sell hundreds of, as it is an anniversary bargain and worth $15. These will be continued at this price until the close of this month, but no longer.

The following are the salesmen in the clothing department: N. Huntley, E. Geoffroy, M. J. Mahoney, Joe Sullivan and D. Murphy.

Hats.

The success of this department is wonderful, but the stock merits it. The Lamson & Hubbard, the Gunger, the Harrington and all other popular blocks are now in stock. An important feature in the success of the department is the fact that all hats are conformed without charge and that special sizes and shapes are duplicated in two days for any customer without extra charge. H. Bailey, whose experience as a hatter is well known, is in charge of the hats. The assortment of caps is wonderful.

The Boy's Department.

It only requires an idea of the facilities which are provided in the boy's department for mothers and lady visitors to make it by far the most popular in the city. The styles shown in boys' suits this season are very nobby and the prices at Merrimack corner are indeed low. A suit with double seat and double knee of strictly wool Scotch cheviot is offered for $2.50 and is a wonder. Another for $4 and A. Shuman's renowned "Knockabout" for $5 are the best values known in the boys' clothing trade and can be had only here. The assortment of waists in every fabric defies description. W. McGovern is in charge of the boys' department and ladies will find him painstaking and obliging.

Furnishing Goods.

This is the most popular department in the store and every line of goods offered for sale is first-class. The aim is to sell good goods at popular prices. The Petersburgh shirt is the best in the states and it is here at 39, 50, 75 cents, $1, $1.25, and $1.50 each, closed or open front, long or short bosoms, laundered or unlaundered. Those who have used the Petersburgh shirts will take no other. Special orders for large sizes are promptly filled at the same prices as quoted for regular goods. The line of fall underwear is a revelation to the ordinary furnishing goods man, and where purchasers will be found to purchase the 70 full cases now being shown is a surmise at best. "Our prices will sell them," says Mr. Dooley, the man in charge and truly they ought. The lines being shown at 25, 35, 50, 69, 75, 89 and $1 are very strong.

Neckwear and hosiery as well as collars and cuffs suggest good taste in their selection, the lines of collars and cuffs at 10 cents, and neckwear at 25 cents being most remarkable.

Overalls—Special Feature.

The firm manufacture all their own goods here and have done so for six months past. A few hours and you can have coats or overalls custom-made at 35, 40, 45 or 50 cents. They are daily improving their lines and have a stock of 500 pairs always in reserve.

Men in Charge.

Mr. T. Delany has charge of the cutting and making of overalls. Mr. Dooley is assisted in the furnishing department by Messrs. Frank Teague, Michael Dyer, M. J. Spillane, W. Meloy, Denis McCluskey, Thomas Mulcahy and Rudolph Vigneault.

LOCAL NOTES.

Evangelist Moody may not come to Lowell after all.

The work of raising the court house in its new position began this morning.

The committee on ordinances and legislation failed to transact business last evening.

Several bicyclists of the Highland school rode races on the boulevard, yesterday. Clarence Shorey won the mile, Charles Bartlett the half and quarter mile races.

All ladies of Lowell are cordially invited to attend Mrs. D. Crowley's opening of fall and winter millinery, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 27 and 28. Parlors 1 and 2 Pollard building, Palmer street.

For absolute, unadulterated purity, the "Premier" brand of the Rochester Brewing Co.'s beer, sold by the case or barrell by The Golden Sheaf, 55 Middle street, bears the stamp of public approval.

Mr. W. F. Guynan and a party of friends held an enjoyable outing at Long-Sought-For pond, Tuesday. Base ball was played and a fine time generally was enjoyed. The occasion was Mr. Guynan's birthday.

PERSONAL.

Mr. George B. Bruce is back from Old Orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Gifford have gone to the mountains.

Mrs. A. Work of the Carpet corporation has returned from the west.

Mr. Charles V. Barker is attending the musical festival at Worcester this week.

Bishop Lawrence of the Massachusetts diocese will visit the archdeaconry of Lowell, Oct. 4th.

Leonard T. Farris for three years with S. W. Fletcher, has accepted a responsible position with a firm in Calais, Me.

Mr. Charles H. Duprez of minstrel fame arrived here last night from the west, where he has been connected with different theatrical enterprises.

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LATEST

FIFIELD CHOSEN

It Was Unanimous Choice as Well.

JOE BRADLEE HAD A STRONG FOLLOWING.

Only Opposition Came From Two Lowell Men.

Hon. George W. Fifield is the choice of the democrats of the district for congress to succeed Hon. Moses W. Stevens.

The convention opened in Lawrence at 11 a. m., Frank J. Simonds of Lowell being temporary chairman and Edward Arundeb, secretary. Committees were named and that on credentials reported 144 delegates present. Temporary organization made permanent. Philip J. Farley presented the name of Hon. George W. Fifield of Lowell to the convention as the candidate for the nomination as representative from the Fifth Massachusetts district.

John F. Curtis of Lowell was on his feet to oppose the nomination saying that Mr. Fifield was supported by the Mail, an A. P. A. sheet, and was denounced by the News, Times and Star, during his mayoralty; and that Mr. Fifield was not a democrat.

William L. Bradlee of Lawrence presented the name of Joseph M. Bradlee of Andover as a candidate and John F. Murphy seconded the nomination. An informal ballot was taken as follows:

G. W. Fifield	78
Joseph Bradlee	62
Joseph O'Neil	2
W. S. Knox	1

A motion to make the ballot formal was defeated and the first ballot resulted in the choice of Mr. Fifield, as follows:

Whole number	143
Necessary	72
G. W. Fifield had	80
J. M. Bradlee "	62
Joseph O'Neil "	1

The choice of Mr. Fifield was made unanimous.

The convention next proceeded to choose a congressional district committee. The report from the convention indicated harmonious relations between Lowell and Lawrence democrats.

LOVE MATCH OFF THE STAGE

IN WHICH THE ACTOR PLAYED THE HEAVY VILLAIN.

Story Told of an Episode in the Life of a Waitress at the Merrimack House Showing the Fickleness of a New York Actor.

Miss Mary Maguire, a waitress at the Merrimack house, is reported to have been made the victim of an alleged actor named Abbott who came here to play in "The Pulse of New York" and was fixed, being too good for the show.

Abbott and Miss Maguire have been making love to each other and the actor proposed and was accepted. He told Mary to meet him in North Chelmsford last Friday and she did, dressing in her best and quitting her job at the hotel. Abbott didn't show up and Mary came to the city sadder and wiser. That night Abbott and another female walked into the hotel and Capt. Partridge called them to account and ordered both out of the house and town.

The Maguire girl was taken back to work. It is said that Abbott also talked marriage to a Bijou actress.

SICK PEOPLE BURNED.

One Way and An Inhuman Way of Destroying Cholera.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WARSAW, Russia, Sept. 25.—Sixty houses in Balzki which is cholera stricken, were burned yesterday. The sick people in the houses were too ill to move and were burned to death.

FROM THE WIRE.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

There is possibility of a strike among the brotherhood tailors in New York, in sympathy with Boston strikers.

Elsie Mack won the mile dash for yearlings, purse $1000, in 2.47¾ at Mystic this morning.

Senator Dave Hill was chosen chairman of the N. Y. democratic convention today.

NO CHOICE MADE.

New York Democratic Convention Adjourned Until Tomorrow.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

SARATOGA, Sept. 25.—The democratic convention adjourned until noon tomorrow without making nomination.

Connecticut's Ticket.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 25.—The democratic state ticket is Cady and Beardsley.

DEATHS.

Lillian Belle Hammond, aged 26 years, died Sunday evening at St. Joh's hospital. Death resulted from inflammation, brought on by a cold contracted a week ago. Deceased had just entered the training school and prior to this taught in the schools of Westford. She lived at 122 Branch street. Her remains were forwarded to Barton Landing, Vt., this morning for interment.

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FOSTER HEARING CONTINUED.

ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE AT THE AFTERNOON SESSION.

Officer Livingston Again On the Stand —Damaging Testimony Adduced.

Constable Livingston took the stand at 1.40 o'clock in the afternoon.

The testimony regarding the finding of the meal bags, grain, etc., was reviewed, and the new testimony began after he had lost sight of the wagon.

He said in answer to Mr. Wier's question, "I went to the center of the town; met Geo. Smith and Jas. Coulter at the town pump; Coulter went to Mr. Stearns and Smith to the doctor's. We went in a carriage in pursuit. We followed the tracks to North Woburn and about a mile ahead of us could hear the noise of a wagon. I alighted at every fork and examined the tracks closely. I lost the track for awhile but found it again a few rods distant. Then we went into No. Woburn and lost it at the car stables, where the ground was too hard to leave an impression.

Identified Horses' Shoes.

Witness, at this point was asked if he thought he could identify the shoes from the marks in the road. He was shown two horse shoes and said the difference between them corresponded with the difference in the tracks.

Cross Examination.

This ended the direct examination and Lawyer Curran began the cross examination. Witness described the route taken by him from the time of leaving the scene of the shooting, till he arrived in North Woburn, giving a description of all the roads traversed and what turns made.

At the horse car stable witness roused the hostler. He had a brief conversation with this man and then went direct to Woburn center and saw the officers at the station. Witness then pointed out Officer Fountain of the Woburn police force as the man he saw and spoke with in Woburn center. He then went home.

In answer to Mr. Curran's questions witness said "I had reasons to believe that the men I was after went towards Woburn center. When I got there I learned they had not been seen there.

"The nearest we came to them after the shooting was to hear their team. We had a good horse and when we could, drove him fast. We heard their team for a mile.

The peculiarity of the horse's tracks made it conspicuous.

Witness described the horse shoes.

At this point witness told of hearing that Foster was shot. He thought Cox was shot until he reached Woburn.

He admitted that he, Nagle, Cox and Nichols were all together and that he believed a number of shots were fired to frighten him into letting Nagle go.

Nagle resisted being handcuffed.

He snapped the trigger of his revolver three times but fired but one shot. Foster was not heard to speak. Witness did not hear his body fall.

Two men fired. The flashes in the first volley came in quick succession.

He remembered that one of the men was taller than the other and that both had mustaches and wore dark clothes.

In reply to other questions regarding description given to Chief McIntosh, witness was not positive on any point. He believed that he had stated the man wore a cap. Lawyer Curran's efforts to confound witness were futile.

At the time of going to press Mr. Cox of Billerica was on the stand.

A full account of additional testimony will be in tomorrow's SUN.

He Believes in Clubs.

James Miskella, candidate for the council in Ward Three addressed the Bleachery club yesterday, on the advantages and value of organizations such as this club.

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§7 27	8 12	9 00	10 07
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12 15	1 37	2 15	3 16
12 45	2 00	2 30	4 28
2 20	3 42	3 40	4 55
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To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
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THE EAST Merrimack street bridge is being rapidly finished.

THE WHISKEY trust seems to be nearly drained out. The bung has fallen out of their barrel.

POSTMASTER PEARSON has made a new arrangement of the mails that will prove advantageous to the people.

THE WORK of registration is now commenced and should be prosecuted incessantly until the sessions of the registrars shall have closed.

THE HEARING on the Foster murder gave ample proof that the detectives have done excellent work on the case and that Officer Livingston of Billerica is no slouch.

MONTGOMERY says that Morse is to be governor of this state as certain as is any future event. He is setting himself up as a dictator. Morse is the Apaphobian candidate.

THE A.P.A. dark lantern organization is said to have control of the republican party in this city. The bible has been thrown aside for the religion of Justin Fulton and Montgomery, whose hatred of Catholics can be described only as a species of rabies.

HOW WOULD Mr. Ludlam do for chief of the fire department? We venture to say that he would make things lively if he saw a house going up in smoke, although he might preserve greater equanimity at the burning of a house in which he was not interested.

THE ANTI-SIMPKINS republicans are getting together in the thirteenth district. They are the men who do not want to be considered of the venal mob who sell themselves for beer and boodle. It is well that this element of the party should make its existence known.

THE INSPECTOR of wires and public prosecutor ordinances are to come up tonight in the city council. It is about time they should be either passed or killed. His Honor, the mayor, should not hold to the upper board method of appointment as by so doing he may defeat a measure which is greatly needed.

WHILE THE A. P. A. belches forth its gush about patriotism it shows no regard for the men who saved the country. In Lawrence Mr. Littlefield, a candidate for register of deeds who is an honored war veteran was turned down to give place to a man named Sanborn with no special merit or fitness for the place further than that he is a member of the dark lantern order of fanatics.

FROM THE intensity of the hatred with which the A. P. A. hounds Catholics, from the similarity in many important respects which this hatred, this malice, this blind prejudice, this spirit of ungodly arrogance, bears to rabies or hydrophobia, the principles of this new dark lantern order might well be named "Apaphobia" and as Apaphobians rather than disturbers, bigots, knownothings or fanatics, let the members of this organization be stigmatized now and hereafter.

NEW HAMPSHIRE REPUBLICANS INCENSED.

The democrats of New Hampshire are in hopes of electing Mr. Kent, their candidate for governor.

Busiel never was true to any party and furthermore he has been a continual kicker. He was a democrat or a supposed democrat, and left the party for purely personal reasons. He was a politician of the rule or ruin stripe and has evinced the same dominating spirit in the republican ranks.

It is putting it mildly to say that he is not popular. Many republicans who have been life-long workers in the party are actually incensed at the nomination. They would prefer to vote for a straight democrat, an open foe, than an office seeker who enters their party merely for his own personal advancement.

The rank and file of New Hampshire republicans are indignant at the nomination and believe it was secured by boodle. This gives the democrats an opportunity of electing Kent, and they are hopeful of victory. Not all Busiel's boodle will avail to assuage the wrath that is becoming hotter and hotter as the election day approaches.

THE CITIZEN is much concerned about the nomination of a candidate by the democrats of the Fifth district and no wonder inasmuch as it is the accredited, and we have no doubt the official organ, of Knox in this city. It questions THE SUN's attitude towards the various candidates and as usual assumes a few things that are not so. To answer the Citizen's query, it may be said, that Mr. Stevens being a manufacturer whose tariff policy is known not to be obnoxious to New England interests, he would be more likely to escape their extreme opposition than a new man with whose policy on the tariff they are unacquainted. But the expression of this opinion does not imply that THE SUN is for or against him. THE SUN is for whomsoever will be nominated by a majority of the delegates to the convention which assembled in Lawrence this morning.

PARSON BROWN of Fall River has folded his political-social-religious gospel tent and come into notice as a mediator between the Fall River strikers and their employes. He begs of the strikers for the sake of their families to go back to work and await developments. He stands upon the ground that the corporations are willing to withdraw their cut down order just as soon as business will warrant it. In common with ex-Senator Howard he considers the voluntary vacation another blunder. It is quite likely that the strikers under the circumstances will soon conclude to return to work.

TODAY THE democrats of the Empire state have to nominate a candidate for governor and upon the wisdom of their choice depends the fate of the democratic party throughout the nation for years. If they nominate a man who will defeat Morton they will deserve well of the country; if not, it can only be said that they have not proved equal to the emergency. A strong candidate will be needed to overcome the corruption to follow in the wake of Platt as general distributor of Morton's boodle.

CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

A Great Dog.

"When I was a-livin back east," said the man with the ginger beard, "I owned one of these here little woolly Scotch terriers that was one of the smartest animals you ever see. Funny thing! One day my wife was readin in the paper that woolly dogs wasn't goin to be in fashion that summer, and she says to me, in a jokin sort of a way, 'I guess we will haf to sell Dagobert—that was his name—and git a nice, fashionable, smooth haired dog.' 'All right,' says I, still keepin up the joke. Now, what do you suppose that there dog went and did?"

"Mebbe he committed suicide," ventured the grocer. "I have heard of dogs havin their feelin's hurt so bad that they killed theirselves."

"Not much he didn't! Didn't I jist tell you he had a whole lot of sense? He jest snaked a quarter out'n the box where we kept the small change to pay the milkman and the newspaper boy and went down the barber shop and had his hair cut, that's what he did!"—Indianapolis Journal.

Satisfied.

This is one of the unique experiences that befall the hardware trade. Some days since a dear old lady from the country went into a grocery store in Lewiston, Me., and offered some glue for sale. "Where did you get it?" asked the dealer. "Where did I get it?" she repeated proudly. "I made it. Where do you suppose? I have been saving up the feet of all the critters that we have killed in years, and here's the glue. I b'iled it out myself." When she was paid the small amount of money the glue was worth, she went off apparently happy and contented, though she got only 65 cents.—Hardware.

She Said He Did, but Did He?

Teacher (of east side school)—Now, boys, we will parse the sentence, "William refused the cake." Tommy Jones, what is "William?"

Tommy Jones—He's an ass.—Truth.

The Height of Bliss.

"Did your sister enjoy the serenade last night?"

Little Jimmy—Yes. She and Mr. Blinks laughed at everything you sang.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

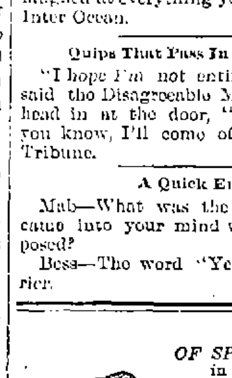
Quips That Pass In the Daytime.

"I hope I'm not entirely unwelcome," said the Disagreeable Man, thrusting his head in at the door, "because if I am you know, I'll come oftener."—Chicago Tribune.

A Quick Entry.

Mab—What was the first thing that came into your mind when Frank proposed?

Bess—The word "Yes."—Boston Courier.



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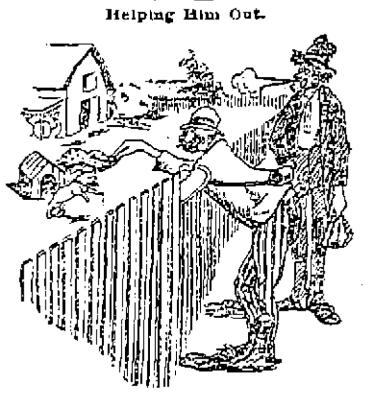

Tired Teddy—Wot 'r' ye flirtin wid de dog fer?

Gay Getup—He's an ole acquaintance o' mine.

Tired Teddy—Does he like yer?

Gay Getup—Dead gone on me. He gives me a bite every time I comes round.—Brooklyn Life.

Saving Himself.

The late Professor Hyrtl was once in the room when Professor Langer was conducting the examination of an aspirant for the medical degree. Langer handed the student a small bone, saying: "Mr. Candidate, here is a bone. Don't look at it, but tell me from feeling it what kind of a bone it is, whether it belonged to the left or right side of the body and whether it was a part of a man or woman."

The poor student blushed from embarrassment. There was a large audience present, and he saw failure staring him in the face. He cast a helpless glance at Hyrtl, who moved about restlessly in his chair for a moment, and then sprang to his feet. "And tell me, Mr. Candidate," he cried out, the spirit of anger lighting up his large, blue eyes, "after answering the questions of my dear colleague the name of the original possessor of this bone, and where and in what street he lived."

This unexpected outburst "saved the day" for the poor candidate, but Professor Langer ever after declined to conduct an examination when Hyrtl was present.—Argonaut.

No Use.

Herdso—Why didn't you defend your wife's suit for divorce?

Saidso—I had known for years that what she said was law.—New York World.

An Aspersion.

She (sweetly)—What beautiful roses! So fresh. Is that dew on them?

He (haughtily)—There is nothing due on them.—Life.

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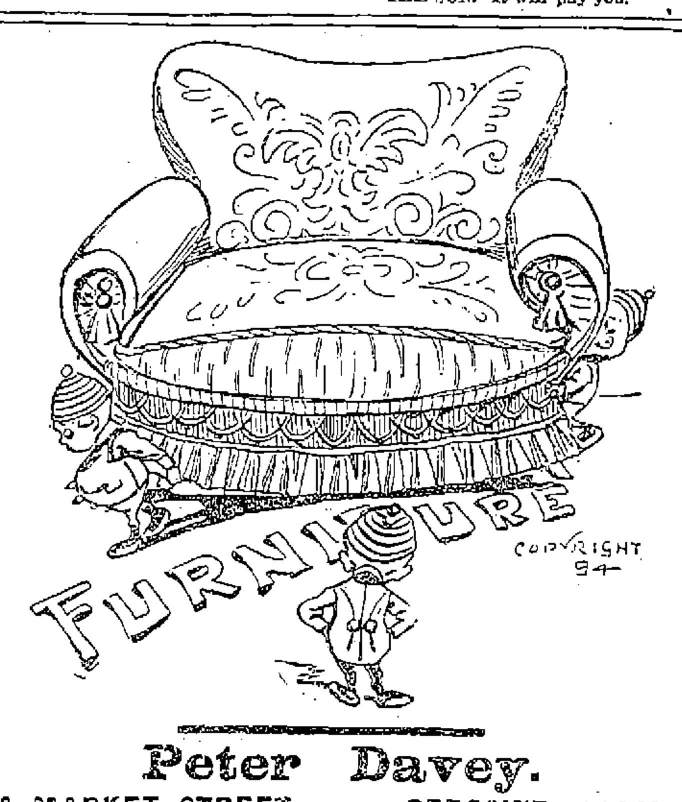

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THE HARVEST

The Warm Week Was Beneficial to Crops.

FARM WORK IS NOW WELL ADVANCED.

Apple Picking Begun With Prospect of Abundance.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—The summary of the weather and crop conditions in New England for the week just passed, as given by the New England weather service bureau, is as follows:

The weather for the week has been warmer than usual at this season of the year, with favorable harvesting weather and with an abundance of rain in all southern sections. The drought is now thoroughly broken over the greater part of New England. Wells have filled, the streams in pastures are full and grass is starting well.

New England's Rainfall.

The following is the rainfall for the week at each station, expressed in inches and hundredths: Eastport, Me., 0.55; Portland, Me., 1.47; Brookline, N. H., 1.11; Alstead, N. H., 0.92; West Milan, N. H., 1.21; Stratford, N. H., 0.56; Northfield, Vt., 1.25; Hartland, Vt., 2.20; Amesbury, Mass., 1.95; Ipswich, Mass., 1.19; Boston, 1.38; Nantucket, Mass., 0.20; Block Island, R. I., 1.14; Kingston, R. I., 2.53; South Manchester, Conn., 1.71; New London, Conn., 1.35; New Britain, Conn., 4.37; West Simsbury, Conn., 4.61; Westville, Conn., 5.51; Greenfield Hill, Conn., 3.58; Hawleyville, Conn., 3.50.

Fine Harvesting Weather.

Harvesting is going on rapidly in Maine with generally favorable weather. The rain was heavy in all central and southern sections and the ground is now plenty wet enough for fall plowing. A good crop of sweet corn has been harvested and the field corn is very good. The root crop is doing finely. Grass is looking well and there is an abundance of fall feed. Apples will be a light crop in Penobscot county.

Reseeding Necessary In Some Places.

There was a comparatively small amount of rain in the northern part of New Hampshire during the week. Grass is starting slowly and the springs and streams are filling up slowly, but in southern sections the ground is well filled with water, and grass in fields and pastures is starting finely, except the new seedings that were killed by drought. Much reseeding will have to be done. Apple picking has begun and is nearly two weeks early.

Much fruit was blown off during the storm of the 10th and 20th. In Cheshire county there are few apples in the valleys. In Sullivan county there seems to be plenty of fall fruit, but the Baldwins are reported a light crop. In Coos county the yield of potatoes is very large and sound. Corn harvesting is well under way, with a good crop. Beans are very good and ripe.

Ground Never Plowed Better.

Much plowing is being done in Vermont and correspondents say that the ground never plowed better. The wind and rain during the storm beat off a good many apples, but generally this fruit is pronounced very promising.

In Orange county the correspondent states that apples are plenty on the hills, but in the valleys and for 150 feet up they are scarce; this is probably true in many towns in this state and in New Hampshire. Beans have ripened well, are mostly pulled, and are pronounced an extra crop. Feed is good. The potato rot is at a minimum in southern counties.

Farm Work Well Advanced.

The fine weather has been favorable for farm work, and in Massachusetts it is well advanced for the season.

In parts of eastern Franklin county the wind during the late storm did much damage to fruit trees and timber, but the correspondent in central Worcester county states that no damage was done beyond shaking off a few worms or dead-ripe apples. The weather has been favorable for gathering rowen, which is a light crop.

Generally the rains have started the grass on fields and pastures, but a correspondent in Hampden county states that he has examined grass lands and finds many roots dead. He thinks the crop for next year has been seriously affected. In that county much of last spring's seeding is dead, and many are reseeding. This is true in some other sections, but whether the failure of new grass to live is general or not the correspondents have failed to note. Forage crops and roots are growing very well. Apple picking is under way, and almost every correspondent reports a good crop in prospect; they are generally of extra good color and quality. Quinces are good in Worcester county.

Rain Has Not Reached Wells.

Although the rainfall in parts of Rhode Island, including that which fell on the 17th, was 3¼ inches, the correspondents report that wells have not felt its effects yet. The streams in pastures, however, have been filled, and all grass fields and pastures and newly seeded pieces have been greatly helped. Late garden and forage crops are growing well. Apple picking has begun, and in Providence county the crop is estimated below average. The latter part of the week gave good weather for curing corn.

Rain Was Heavy.

In many places in southwestern Connecticut the rain of the 19th and 20th gave the greatest amount that has fallen in one storm for over a year. The rowen crop generally is pronounced a failure, but the pastures and meadows are green and growing very fast, and there will be plenty of fall feed. Grass seed sown last spring with grain has been killed out on dry knolls, but no correspondent reports anticipation of a short hay crop next year on account of this season's drought.

The correspondent at West Simsbury states that he can find no turf that was entirely killed. The observer at New London says: "The pastures, except in places where the drought killed the roots (which does not appear as serious as first expected), are in prime condition. The prospects for next year are very bright and satisfactory." Fall plowing is under way. Turnips are good. Cabbage, celery, etc., are growing very fast, though in Fairfield county the celery is reported unusually poor. Tomatoes are doing better. Buckwheat is ripening well with prospect of medium yield. Late corn is ripening finely in the good weather; the earlier corn is mostly cut and gives a good yield. Apple picking has begun and most correspondents report a fair yield of winter fruit in prospect.

Incendiaries at Work.

ERIE, Pa., Sept. 25.—The firebug applied his torch to the Erie city shops last night. A northwest breeze drove the flames over the five acre plant. The united efforts of the fire department could do nothing but save adjoining property. The shops were built 35 years ago and were valued at $250,000. This is the sixth incendiary fire that has occurred during the week.

DECLARED A DRAW.

Murphy Pluckily Stood Before Plimmer In a Twenty-Five Round Fight.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 25.—The first of the series of the fights which will form the pugilistic triple event at the Olympic club took place last night in the presence of about 5000 spectators. John P. Eckhardt officiated as referee.

Murphy and Plimmer fought for a purse of $2500—$2000 to the winner and $500 to the loser. The men were in splendid condition, and weighed in at the stipulated weight, 115 pounds.

The stakeless ring was introduced for the first time, and so far as appearances went seemed to be an improvement on the old style roped enclosure.

Plimmer was seconded by Billy McCarthy, Bennie Murphy and Al Robb. Murphy was looked after by James Conery, Jake Kilrain and Andy Bowen. Frank Carnoback was official timekeeper.

The fighting at times was terrific, Plimmer apparently having the better of it, jabbing Murphy all around the ring and dealing out severe punishment. At the windup, the audience rose in a body to hear the verdict. The referee declared the match a draw, and the decision received general approbation. Plimmer had the better of the hitting, but the little Boston's gameness and generalship enabled him to continue the contest to the required 25 rounds.

They Won't Go Back.

FITCHBURG, Mass., Sept. 25.—The conference committee of the board of trade appointed to arbitrate the differences between the Parkhill Manufacturing company and its employes held a conference yesterday with the executive board of the strikers. At a meeting of 428 of the company's employes, last night, the proposition that they return to work on full time at a reduced rate of wages was voted down by a vote of 380 to 28.

Hodgkins Held For Manslaughter.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Sept. 25.—The hearing in the manslaughter case of A. W. Hodgkins, who was the telegraph operator at West Portal at the time of the tunnel accident, began in the district court yesterday. The cross-examination of Crosier resulted in sensational evidence against himself. No action was taken regarding Crosier. Hodgkins was held for the grand jury for manslaughter in $3000 bonds.

Sentenced to Death.

SYRACUSE, Sept. 25.—Charles F. Wilson was sentenced by Justice Williams to be electrocuted during the week beginning Nov. 6 for participation in the murder of Detective Harvey. The prisoner took his sentence calmly.

Death Feared Soon.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—Peter Berlo, the famous cyclist of this city, is at the city hospital in a precarious condition, and it is feared that he will live but a few hours. Berlo's illness is inflammation of the bowels.

Killed by an Electric.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 25.—Mrs. Bridget Cannon, 70 years old, was struck by an electric car and was so seriously injured that she died. Her skull was fractured in three places.

Atchison's New Receiver.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Judge Lacombe, in the United States circuit court yesterday, formally ordered the appointment of Aldace F. Walker receiver of the Atchison.

Self Praise, Etc.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—John L. Sullivan, while driving about town yesterday, dropped in at the White House. The place was closed for repairs, so the ex-pugilist was not admitted, although he explained to the watchman at the door that he (Sullivan) was a better man than he who occupied the mansion.

A $5000 Purse Offered.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 25.—The Narragansett Racing association has offered a purse of $5000 for a mile race between Henry of Navarre, Domino and Clifford, or any two of them, on Oct. 2.

A New Departure.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—The University of Chicago has made arrangements for the publication of an astronomical journal, which will be international in scope and character. Professor Hale of the Chicago university and James E. Keeler of Allegheny university are to be editors. The associate editors will be such famous astronomers and astrophysicians as Achine of Rome, Vogel of Pottsdam, Duner of Sweden and Dr. Huggins of England.

Conspiracy Story Renewed.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The World this morning publishes a page story that Archbishop Corrigan has been accused in Rome of a conspiracy. The document is said to be signed by some of the leading Catholics of the country. The old accusation is made that the archbishop, through the assistance of Michael Walsh, secured the publication of articles in the Catholic papers severely reflecting upon Mgr. Satolli.

To Test Her Engines.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The Maine is ready for trial and the contractors for the machinery have asked permission to take her out for a preliminary trial spin in order to insure the good working of the engines and auxiliaries before the formal trial. This permission has been granted, and the ship will probably go out within the next 48 hours.

Crushed by Falling Earth.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 25.—Five laborers were buried under a mass of earth almost as compact as stone, while at work making an excavation for the foundation of a retaining wall on the Richmond branch of the Reading railroad. One man died a few minutes after his body was recovered. Four others were seriously injured.

Thibedeau's Murderer Arrested.

THREE RIVERS, Que., Sept. 25.—John B. Ouellette was arrested at Grand Mere for the murder of Daniel Thibedeau at Jay Bridge, Me., on Sept. 1. Ouellette was in bed when arrested and broke down completely and confessed his guilt, saying: "Whisky made me do it."

FORCING THINGS

Japan Pomises an Early End to War.

CHINA WILL MAKE REPARATION FOR ALL DAMAGE.

And Acts of Violence to Resident Foreigners.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—A reporter had an interview yesterday with M. Myabara, a Japanese naval constructor, who is here supervising the building of two first-class men-of-war for Japan. Each of the vessels is to be of 12,300 tons, and is to be completed in four years.

M. Myabara dwelt at length upon the sudden volte-face of English opinion in favor of Japan since her successes in Corea. He said the Yalu battle had by no means disturbed his faith in the vast importance of big armored battleships. Cruisers, of course, were of undoubted value, but big ironclads were the great determining factor, and that was where China had an advantage over Japan. M. Myabara said it made him feel to think that the two ironclads now being built were not commenced six years ago.

With regard to the campaign, he thought that everything pointed to a Japanese march toward Pekin. Beyond that he was not inclined to say much. Personally, he believed that the war would terminate before winter.

"You may depend upon it," he continued, "that Japan will force matters to a finish before November, when the gulfs of Pe-Chi-Li and Liau-Tong are frozen over. You will probably soon hear of a great battle on the Yalu.

"The Japanese are good marchers, and therefore we may soon expect something important. In the meantime there may be minor fights on the march, of which you will hear nothing, because during the intervals of marching on an important position not a paragraph concerning the movements of the troops will be allowed to be telegraphed."

Pekin Authorities Embarrassed.

Advices from Shanghai state that the murder of the two missionaries by Chinese soldiers has been followed by the assassination of a French customs officer on the frontier of Tonquin. These acts of violence are greatly embarrassing the Pekin authorities at the present time, and it is announced reparation will be offered in the case of Rev. Mr. Wylie by executing his assailants, rebuilding the wrecked chapel and paying a sum of money to the family of the victim.

The English newspapers in Shanghai fate that the unprecedented step will be taken of expressing regret in an imperial edict, a form of atonement which assuredly would never have been vouchsafed in less troubled times. As regards the outrages on Frenchmen, ships of war of that nation will demand reparation. The work of strengthening the defenses along Chinese coasts is continued, mostly by posting floating batteries at points of supposed danger.

Doings In Japan.

A Yokohama dispatch announces that the foreign department of Japan has given notice that duly accredited newspaper correspondents may hereafter accompany the military forces of the entire empire, and will receive all consideration that can reasonably be given by commanders of troops.

The trophies captured at Kouh-Hwan and Casan will soon be exhibited in Tokio. The collection is large and various, consisting of over 50 battleflags, arms of all descriptions, an immense quantity of clothing, personal adornments and musical instruments.

The Clothing Trade Strike.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—Yesterday's developments in the great clothing trade strike in this city were of a two-fold nature. On the one hand, the signs all pointed to speedy success for the unions. On the other, the action of the Clothing Manufacturers' association seemed to indicate that the contractors and workmen are in for a prolonged contest. Officials of the Clothing Contractors' association claim to have received no notification of what the merchant clothiers intend to do with the price list drawn up by the contractors.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Ten stores in Tomah, Wis., were burned.

General Willard Slocum died at Ashland, O.

General Exeza was declared free of extradition.

A great many cases of diphtheria are reported in Boston.

Cholera in Austria is diminishing, in Russia still raging.

Italian strikers attacked workmen in a Brooklyn shoe factory.

Major Moore was found guilty, at Buffalo, of pension frauds.

France will have no interference in Madagascar, Egypt or Tripoli.

Religious pilgrims were injured in a train wreck near Valencia, Spain.

Premier Crispi is going to Naples in order to complete a course of baths.

Schooner Minnesota, of Gloucester, Mass., is ashore at Gull Rock, N. S.

Naval officers are expecting great things from their new small caliber magazine rifle.

Thomas O'Nell of Boston, aged 18, was struck by a falling brick, fracturing his skull.

Ambassador Bayard will sail from Southampton, Oct. 6, for the United States.

The German congress of natural science opened at Vienna with about 2000 delegates present.

Schooner Annie C. Hall, of Gloucester, Mass., is ashore near Cape Sable, in a dangerous position.

ASKS FOR ARGUMENTS.

Bishop Spaulding's Reply to a Criticism by Bishop Kean.

PEORIA, Ills., Sept. 25.—Bishop Spaulding has furnished the following written statement with reference to the severe criticism passed by Bishop Kean upon his recent A. P. A. article in the North American Review, and supposed to have been inspired by the Vatican:

"I have read Bishop Kean's criticism on my article, and as it has not been disowned I must suppose it to be authentic. The important question is whether what I have published in The Review is true. A thing may be unfortunately true, and this is doubtless the bishop's meaning when he calls my article unfortunate.

"He says also that it is untimely, but I fail to see how this epithet can be applied in any right sense to the honest and dispassionate discussion of a subject which now attracts general attention and is not without importance. If my moderate expression of views of a question which is actually before the public, and which is of concern to both the country and the church, is to be condemned as unfortunate and ill-timed, then national discussion among Catholics is no longer to be thought of and the Catholic university is but a pretense.

"If what is said of Cardinal Gibbons is true, the least I can do, I suppose, is to regret that he should have to express his regret to the pope. Regrets, however, are idle, and the manly and American thing to do is to confront me with arguments and not to attempt to frighten me with groanings."

After Byrnes.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst fired another broadside at the Second Reformed Presbyterian church last night. He said: "The city of New York is at present the most phenomenal in the world. The recent outbreak of crime is unparalleled. The spirit of anarchy is abroad. There is such a regard for all police regulations as should make us blush if we do not tremble. If Superintendent Byrnes were to step squarely to the front and say: 'I am going to take up the obligations that devolve upon me, and if I am interfered with I will make it known to the community,' I believe the response would be thrilling."

Relics of Old-Time Barbarity.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 25.—A number of skeletons, with manacles attached to the arm and leg bones, have been found buried close to the surface of the courtyard of the custom house here. A similar discovery was made a few years ago at almost the same place, but upon the former occasion instruments of torture were also discovered with the skeletons. A secret chancellery of the tyrannical regent, Byrne, the favorite of Empress Anna, who reigned 1730-36, was situated where the remains were found.

Father Furnished Bail.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Herman Clark, the young broker under arrest for wrecking the brokerage firm of Hunter, Clark & Jacob of this city, was bailed out yesterday by his father. The bail was fixed at $10,000. Clark was out on bail before, but was surrendered by his father because he would not leave the woman for whom he had forsaken his wife.

Arsenic In the Coffee.

MEMPHIS, Sept. 25.—Mrs. Mattie Osborn, her four children, and W. E. Hunt, a boarder in the family, were poisoned yesterday by arsenic in their coffee, which Mrs. Osborn had herself prepared. Mrs. Osborn, her son Willie and daughter Mattie, and Hunt, are in a critical condition. There is no clew to the mystery of their poisoning.

Sixth Week of Idleness.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Sept. 25.—The sixth week of idleness in this city opens without any promise of an early resumption of work. The manufacturers seem more united than ever in their determination to make the operatives yield to their terms. Among the weavers there is much dissatisfaction because only one-half strike pay was allowed.

Crops Are Poor.

ROME, Sept. 25.—Serious complaints are being made in regard to the drought. In the Tyrol and southern Alps only has there been sufficient rain. The corn crop is pronounced to be poor, and the wine crop, although of good quality, is poor in quantity. The olive crop is good.

Athletes Injured.

HANOVER, N. H., Sept. 25.—Little of the Dartmouth football team broke the ligaments in his shoulder yesterday, disabling him, and Pollard, half-back, cracked his collar bone, laying him off for the rest of the season.

The Bulgarian Elections.

SOFIA, Sept. 25.—Returns from 153 districts show the election of 114 ministerialists and 39 members of the opposition.

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TAXES.

Collector's Notice.

The assessors have committed to the Collector of Taxes the

TAX LIST FOR 1894,

With instructions to collect in the manner prescribed by the Statutes of the Commonwealth and the Ordinances of the City of Lowell, the sums assessed by them to the persons named therein, and he is now ready to receive payment of said Taxes at his office in City Hall.

When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the Collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or about November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent. per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1894, until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said Taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed on every male inhabitant above the age of 20 years. On undivided real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

The assessors are now distributing Tax Bills. If any taxable inhabitant, by removing his residence since the first day of May, or from any cause, should not receive his Tax Bill, he must consider the Tax demanded by this notice, and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes if a Tax has been assessed.

All who preserve their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1894 IS $17.40 ON $1000.

Office Hours: From 9 o'clock a.m. to 3 p.m.

For the convenience of the Tax paying public the office of the Collector will be open in the evening as follows: Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 1 to Oct. 13, inclusive, 7 to 8 o'clock p. m. Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, from Oct. 15 to Oct. 20, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m.

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MIDDLESEX ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen Scanlon, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate, by Ellen T. Feely, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed, may be issued to her, or some other suitable person, the executor named in said will having declared the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a probate court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Tuesday of October A.D., 1894, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the LOWELL DAILY SUN, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days, at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said court, this eighteenth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR TUESDAY, SEPT. 25.

SUN RISES..... 5 35 | MOON RISES...12 50 AM
SUN SETS..... 5 30 | FULL SEA { ... 7 33 AM
LENGTH OF DAY...12 01 | { ... 7 45 PM

Forecast for New England: Fair; cooler; northwest winds, diminishing.

LOCAL NEWS.

Be joyful and smoke Tower's corner.

The Daughters of Liberty had two candidates and three applications last evening.

Prohibitory county convention in Boston tomorrow noon, and congressional convention at Lawrence Saturday.

The Putnam Guards' rifle team defeated the Concord Light Artillery team, Co. I, Sixth regiment, at the Concord range, Saturday 295 to 281.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horne have presented them with two beautiful pictures, to mark the twelfth anniversary of their marriage.

Over 9000 Registered.

The number of pupils enrolled at the public schools during last week was 8822. Yesterday there were 9001 pupils registered.

A Serious Wound.

Claude Hamilton, son of Mrs. H. B. Hamilton of Methuen street, is laid up with a painful wound to the foot caused by stepping on a nail. This is a very serious accident.

Asst. Supt. Courtney Retained.

Assistant Superintendent Courtney has been reinstated by Supt. Crowley, of the street department. The reinstatement occurred yesterday and Mr. Courtney at once resumed his duties.

Loungers Must Keep On the Move.

The complaints made to the police of loungers on the canal bridge opposite the Merrimack street depot resulted in the arrest of seven who would not "move on" when ordered to last night.

Miserables Are Still Winning.

The Miserables easily defeated the Big 12 in the bowling tournament last evening. Neylon with 512 was high man, and Marren and McLaughlin were tied at 508. The score was Miserables 2418; Big 12, 2309.

Arrested for Wholesale Breaks.

Inspectors Laflamme and Allen arrested Willie Gelineau in Little Canada yesterday accused of breaking and entering and larceny of goods and money from Swan & Smith's shoe store, Foote's music store, Charles Swan's drug store, J. J. Mahoney's cigar store, Sullivan's fish market, and Willis variety store on Race street. These breaks were made during the summer. Gelineau admits his guilt.

With the Right Spirit.

The Columbian democratic club of Ward One held a meeting last night in St. Joseph's hall, Dutton street. Eight new members were admitted and 12 applications for membership received. The following officers were elected: President, Michael J. Bruin; vice president, Patrick McDermott; Rec. Sec., Thomas J. Coleman; treasurer, Dominick Meehan.

The club is in a flourishing condition and will endeavor to advance the interests of the democratic party during the coming campaign.

KILLED BY CARS.

An Old Soldier Formerly of Lowell Meets Death on the Rail.

Archibald Leckie, an old sailor, who resided in Lowell, was killed instantly at Thompson's point, near Portland, Sunday afternoon. In his clothes was found the card of Mr. Tyrrell with Mrs. Fowler, 75 Summer street, Lowell, Mass. The old man went into the round house to get a drink of water and coming out again on the track, at a curve, was struck by a special, the engineer not having time to save him. For a number of years, Leckie was boss dyer at Walker & Son's, Lawrence street, and also worked in Scripture's laundry. He was a member of Post 42 G. A. R., and derived an income of $300 a year from property in Scotland. He leaves a wife and family. The remains will be brought here for interment.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

From Being Buried Under an Embankment at the East Merrimack Street Bridge.

A gang of men employed on the East Merrimack street bridge had a miraculous escape from being buried alive last night about 9.15 o'clock.

The men were working in a trench beneath a high bank on the Massachusetts side. The bank was undermined and all of a sudden it cracked on the top and a large pile of it weighing about fifty tons rolled down upon the men. Fortunately all but two made their escape to the further end of the trench in which they were digging, just in time to avoid being crushed.

Two were pinned against a pile of stones and although they were standing erect they were nearly buried by clay which was soft and sandy and did not injure them except by its weight. The box which they were filling was buried to a depth of five or six feet. It took ten men digging for twenty minutes to extricate the men. Dick Riley got the most severe crushing, but fortunately escaped without serious injury. The other man was covered to the waist.

RECEPTION BY PUPILS

To Rev. Fr. Wm. O'Brien, Pastor at St. Michael's Church by the Children of the Parish.

The children of St. Michael's parochial school tendered a very pleasant reception to their beloved pastor, Rev. William O'Brien, this morning. It took place in the cozy school hall, at 10 o'clock, and in honor of the happy occasion the hall was festooned with draperies of lace. The stage, on which were seated besides the reverend guest, the clergymen of the parish and a number of friends, was decorated prettily with palms and tropical plants. The following well selected program was carried out: Welcome song, all the pupils; address, Kittie Breen; "Take me back to home and mother," song, boys; recitation, Jimmie Monahan; address, Minnie Sullivan; "Now we little children," Minims; recitation, Vera McArdell; our pastor, song, all the pupils; recitation, Kittie McDonough; "Happy Days," song, girls; recitation, Jimmie McDonald; address, Tommie Reynolds; Welcome, song, school. Pianist, Miss K. Minahan.

The program was well rendered, the children sustaining their parts in a manner creditable even to older persons. The address of welcome delivered by Miss Kittie Breen, was a very pretty bit of composition and was spoken finely. At the conclusion of the program Rev. Fr. O'Brien was presented with a beautiful basket of choice flowers, the gift of the children of the school.

The recipient thanked his little friends in a brief speech which he followed with a few interesting stories on his recent trip, and closed by giving the school a holiday.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MER'K ST.

A delicious smoke—Old Hundred cigar.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

J. H. Costello, 37 Davidson st., carpenter.

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Old newspapers 5 cents a hundred at THE SUN office.

E. A. Wilson, coal dealer, is selling coal at lowest cash prices; call at 51 Merrimack street.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

Miss Josephine T. Riordan, 179 Gorham street, will resume teaching on the piano and organ about October first.

A true, life-like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barristers' hall and have a sitting made.

Evening Schools to Open.

The sub-committee on evening schools has voted to open the evening schools on Monday, Oct. 22d.

The Temple of Design.

Milliners have something to say this week which is of special interest to the ladies of this city. When going by the Runels' building in Merrimack square do not fail to call in at the Temple of Design as you will see the correct styles in fall and winter millinery.

Lowell Symphony Orchestra.

This musical society has elected these officers for the season: President, W. H. Valentine; vice president, Arthur Whitney; secretary, Percy Burleigh; treasurer, George Bryant; conductor, R. A. McDaniels. The orchestra will begin rehearsals next Sunday.

Poisoned by Dogwood.

Among the floral and harvest decorations at the Kalla Klatsch, at the Eliot church last week, were branches of dogwood. Many young people who attended the affair, and are susceptible to dogwood poisoning, are now suffering from the effects of the poison. No serious results are anticipated.

Abandoned Her Child.

A woman giving the name of Minnie Chase and her residence as Boston left her year old child with a lady in Dracut several months ago, who promised to board the young one. The mother paid one month's board in advance but has not been seen since. The child is now at the Day Nursery on Kirk street.

NO SCHOOL BOARD

Met at Its Rooms Owing to the Absence of Republican Members.

Last evening was the regular meeting night of the school board but no session was held.

Yesterday afternoon Mayor Pickman left word at Supt. Whitcomb's office that he was not feeling well and so would not attend the meeting in the evening. Mr. Swapp also informed one of the democratic members that he would not attend. In view of this it was safe to say that there would be no meeting, as the republicans would refuse to do business unless every republican member was present. The only members present at the committee rooms last evening were members of the committee on salaries and evening schools.

THE NEW SOUTH.

Magnificent Performance of One of the Strongest Dramas Ever Presented at Our Opera House—The Pay Train at Music Hall.

The New South is the name of one of the strongest dramas ever given in our Opera house. Strong in dramatic lines and situations, with climaxes more intense than the melo-dramatic, it was magnificently presented by as fine a company as ever gotten together. The title of the play suggests a story of the late war; not so, it is a story of the New South in which new thoughts, new patriotism, new lives burst from the chrysalis of the Old South. The story is based on sectional and race prejudices, and it weaves into action the legislative act in Georgia of leasing state convicts to individuals. There is abundant material for a drama and it is charmingly drawn. Capt. Harry Ford, U. S. A., in love with Georgia Gwynne, a daughter of Gen. Gwynne, a gentleman of the old south, is falsely accused of killing Jefferson Gwynne, a congressional candidate who was really killed by Sampson, a negro politician of the worst type. Ford is sentenced and serves under Fitzhugh, a speculator in convict labor, who heaps cruelty on him.

Miss Gwynne learning of this and convinced of Ford's innocence leases the convict and gives him opportunity to obtain evidence of his innocence, implicating Sampson and Fitzhugh, the latter through purchase of the negro vote.

Delightful indeed is the piece enacted, each character taking its place so naturally that the spectators seems a confidant of the family. The New South is not a melodrama although the first act might create that impression. It is a story not unlike only stronger and more advanced than Alabama. Joseph Grismer, the author, and Miss Phebe Davies, who play the leads, are favorites instantly as Capt. Ford and Miss Gwynne. This is their first trip east, for they are widely known in the west. Every member of their support is strong, the Gen. Gwynne of Scott Cooper being a remarkable character and his southern dialect was fairly delicious. Space will not permit individual notice but in all seriousness the New South is one of the finest dramas seen here and a crowded house should greet it tonight.

UNDER THE CLOAK OF F. C. B.

A KNIGHT OF PYTHIAS DUPES HIS BRETHREN IN THE ORDER.

Wamesit Lodge of This City Suffers at the Hands of a Scoundrel Who May Have Broken Into the Lodge Desk.

There is a big sensation in Pythian circles on account of a bold scheme to rob the order. On Monday, Sept. 17, Wamesit lodge received a communication from the Pittsfield, Me., lodge stating that one, J. B. Read, purporting to be a member of Wamesit lodge had presented a draft on the lodge, and asking if he was all right. Examination showed the draft to be a fraud. The lodge telegraphed to hold Read, but he had got the money, $20, before the telegram reached there. Three more lodges have been heard from from whom he has received money by false pretences. The drafts used were all stolen from the lodge. To one order the thief forged the name of Frank H. Harris. The wily knight is still at large.

A Cup, Saucer and Plate

given away with a pound of our high grade tea. Dickson Bros., The Big Tea Dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

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Money loaned on endorsed notes, personal securities and second mortgages on real estate by J. B. Swift, 9 Barristers hall. Telephone 405-4.

A WHITNEY BOOM

Ex-Secretary of the Navy a Popular Candidate

FOR GOVERNOR OF THE EMPIRE STATE.

Judge Gaynor is Positively Out of the Race.

SARATOGA, Sept. 25.—The Democratic state convention met in the convention hall at noon today and Senator Hill made his address as the temporary chairman of the meeting. Committees were appointed on credentials, permanent organization and platform, and the convention took a recess until tomorrow noon, when it will meet at the old skating rink where the convention that nominated Flower met in 1891. No nominations will be made today.

There is not a man versed in the ways of conventions of political parties that ever saw a situation like that which confronts the convention. The predicament is explained in a very few words by Lieutenant Governor Sheehan. He said: "There is not a man or politician here that knows who the nominee of the party will be until the convention meets. It is anybody or any faction's candidate, and the convention will be a Democratic one in every sense of the word."

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY.

The Tammanyites will come as one man for William C. Whitney. There is one significant fact in all this startling boom for Whitney, and that is that Mayor Gilroy, who was in Europe with Mr. Whitney during the past month, has nothing to say when asked as to the candidacy of the man, but smiles and says: "Wait until he comes and he will talk for himself."

The Platform.

The platform, as drawn up, contains a very great many planks that will probably be subject to revision, but as a whole, it will not be changed except as to the way in which it will read.

It renews its pledges of fidelity to principles of Democracy and affirms the planks of the national platform of 1892. It arraigns the Republican party in the state for attempting to deceive the people by pretending to cut down the state tax rate, when in effect it put over the payment of appropriations made by the legislature until the next year, for purely campaign purposes.

The work of the constitutional convention is criticised as partisan, and tending to burden the people with unnecessary additional expenses. It alleges that the purely reform measures, such as the forestry article, the charities article, the prison labor and canal articles, were passed by Democratic votes, but that the majority turned the convention into a political body by attempting to make a normally Democratic state Republican. It says that no home rule has been arranged for cities, and that the country districts have been favored as against the cities of the state.

On the tariff it declares that there should be no more general tariff legislation for years, but that if there be any necessity it should be by special act and then only when necessary to remove duty on raw materials. The income tax is entirely ignored.

Relating to canals, it declares for extensive improvements by bonding the state so as to allow the state to compete with Canada in the transportation of grain and lumber.

It denounces the principles of the American Protective association as un-American and in violation of the constitution, which provides for equality regardless of religion. It endorses the administration of Governor Flower at Albany and Senator Hill at Washington.

Hill In the Dark.

Senator Hill arrived late yesterday afternoon and opened headquarters at the Grand Union hotel. From the time of his arrival until a late hour of the night he was besieged by crowds of delegates. He said: "I received word that I was to be the temporary chairman of the convention today. I know nothing about who is the most prominent candidate and I have no opinion to express as to who will be the nominee of the convention."

Later he was shown a dispatch concerning the declination of Judge Gaynor, and he said, laconically: "It seems that the proper thing is to refuse to be a candidate."

Tammany's braves struck the village about 4:30 yesterday afternoon. Three sections of a special train, each containing 10 coaches, brought the crowd, which numbered in all nearly 1500. There were no bands on board, but enthusiasm was rampant and there was plenty of excitement.

Several of their delegates were seen in regard to the placing of Tammany's strength, and every man favors William C. Whitney. When asked as to the Flower boom, which started in a mild way and increased with no little encouragement, they seemed to be unanimous enough, but expressed little hope of his retracting his withdrawal.

Gaynor Not a Candidate.

Mirabeau Lamar Towns of Kings county received a telegram from Mr. Gaynor refusing to accept the nomination. It reads as follows:

"I was elected justice of the supreme court last fall in a district comprising nine counties and one-fourth of the population of the state. The office came to me not from those in power, but from the people, and unsought. I was not able to see then that I was entitled to anything merely for having done what I could as a private citizen for honesty, decency and manliness in politics and in government, nor am I able to now.

"Anyhow, I cannot at this time lay down the office I hold. I could disregard the effect upon those dependent on me in the loss of the legal practice I gave up to go on the bench, and again in the loss of my present handsome salary, but I cannot again so soon appeal to the splendid individual integrity and intelligence which stood behind the ballots cast for me last fall.

"I have said all along, privately and publicly, orally and in writing, that I should not become a candidate for governor, and the above is my chiefest reason. As I am without a representative at Saratoga, and very busy here, I ask you to make this public. I am deeply moved by the favor shown me and never expected it."

For lieutenant governor, the name most prominently mentioned is that of Frederick Cook, who, it is said, will accept the place under Mr. Whitney, but under nobody else. If any other name is presented to the convention and nominated, then the nominee will be ex-Senator Linson of Ulster.

For judge of the court of appeals Spencer Clinton of Buffalo has the call, but D. Cady Herrick of Albany is mentioned as a very probable candidate.

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Errors by Porkopolitans Allowed the Beaneaters to Roll Up Runs.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 24.—Boston won through errors by Cincinnati which cost three runs.

Boston..... 2 1 0 0 0 1 2 0 1—7
Cincinnati..... 1 0 0 0 1 2 0 0 0—4

Base hits—Boston, 12; Cincinnati, 6. Errors—Boston, 2; Cincinnati, 4. Batteries—Stivetts and Ganzel; Fischer and Merritt.

At Louisville:

New York..... 1 0 3 2 0 0 2 —8
Louisville..... 4 0 2 0 0 1 0 0—7

Base hits—New York, 9; Louisville, 7. Errors—New York, 2; Louisville, 3. Batteries—Meekin and Farrell; Knell and Cote.

At Cleveland:

Cleveland..... 2 7 0 0 0 3 0 0 —12
Baltimore..... 3 0 0 1 1 0 0 2 0—7

Base hits—Cleveland, 15; Baltimore, 9. Errors—Cleveland, 5; Baltimore, 2. Batteries—Cuppy and Zimmer; Hawke, Gleason and Robinson.

At St. Louis:

Philadelphia..... 0 5 5 0 1 2 0 0 8—21
St. Louis..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1

Base hits—Philadelphia, 22; St. Louis, 7. Errors—St. Louis, 6. Batteries—Johnson and Buckley; Clarkson and Twineham.

At Pittsburg:

Pittsburg..... 1 1 3 0 0 4 1 0 —10
Brooklyn..... 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—4

Base hits—Pittsburg, 15; Brooklyn, 6. Errors—Pittsburg, 3; Brooklyn, 2. Batteries—Menefee and Weaver; Stein and Kinslow.

At Chicago:

Chicago..... 1 2 4 0 2 0 2 6 0—17
Washington..... 0 0 1 0 0 2 1 0 0—4

Base hits—Chicago, 26; Washington, 12. Errors—Chicago, 4; Washington, 4. Batteries—Hutchison and Schriver; Stockdale and Duggleby.

Back to Civilization.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Sept. 25.—The last of the parties put ashore on the Labrador coast by the steamer Miranda returned here by the vessel Virginia Lake. This was the University of Pennsylvania expedition, consisting of four professors. The party spent the summer making an exploration of Sandwick bay, north Labrador. Three great rivers were explored and charts of them made. Valuable collections of birds and butterflies were obtained. All are satisfied with the result of the expedition.

Boston's Election Muddle.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—The Roxbury courtroom was crowded yesterday with politicians and members of the bar to hear the case against the four caucus officials of ward 19—Lynch, Hickey, Mulherne and Dowd, charged with violation of the election laws at the caucus last Friday night. Mulherne and Lynch are arraigned on two charges, and Dowd and Hickey on one. It was decided to hear the case on Oct. 3. Bail was fixed at $300.

Adjourned to Washington.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The United States strike commission, appointed to investigate the recent Chicago labor troubles, has adjourned its hearings from Chicago to Washington, and the commission will meet in this city on Sept. 26, at which time the commission will be in readiness to receive in writing any suggestions which may be made relative to the solution of questions involved in the late controversy.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Wheat bulls are well nigh discouraged. With prices lower than they have ever been in the history of the trade, there seems to be nothing upon which the market can get a foothold. Yesterday witnessed more heavy selling, following a sharp break in corn, and December sank to 58 1-16c. Apparently wheat is without friends.

Had a Close Call.

EXETER, N. H., Sept. 25.—The town of South Newmarket suffered the most serious fire it has had in 20 years, and its loss was kept within $15,000 only by the aid of outside firemen. Two double tenement houses, two stables and the only hotel in the place are now in ashes.

John Boyd's Error.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 25.—At a christening party at Patapsco Neck, John Boyd took up an old army musket, supposed to be unloaded, and proceeded to explain how it was used during the war. The gun exploded, killing a child and dangerously wounding the little one's mother.

Famine May Compel Surrender.

THE HAGUE, Sept. 25.—Dispatches from Batavia, Java, say that Mataram, capital of the island of Lombok, has been almost destroyed by the bombardment of the Dutch fleet. The besieged Balinese are beginning to suffer from famine, and are expected to capitulate shortly.

Patterson Draws Out.

MELBOURNE, Sept. 25.—President Patterson has resigned, owing to the result of the elections, a feature of which was the annihilation of the free trade party. Patterson was re-elected, but his party and policy did not receive the support he expected.

Puddlers on Strike.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 25.—The puddlers at the Oliver Iron and Steel works struck yesterday against a 25 per cent reduction, and all but four furnaces closed down.

The Czar's Ailment.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 25.—It is stated that the czar is suffering from bright's disease of the kidneys.

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Men's Fancy Blue and Brown Wool Shirts and Drawers, 58c.
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SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 25.—Dec. 8, 1893, a barge of cotton consigned to several New England mills burned near Cairo, Ills., presumably from sparks from a locomotive or steamer. The owners in a test case instituted suit against the Cairo, Vincennes and Chicago railroad, alleging the railroad was negligent in leaving the barge lying for 18 days after arrival at Cairo exposed to sparks from trains and steamers. Judge Allen yesterday rendered a judgment of $35,867 in favor of the Lancaster mills of Clinton, Mass. Claims of other companies, including costs, aggregate $60,000.

Going to Court.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—The board of aldermen last evening passed an order requesting Attorney General Knowlton to institute proceedings to enjoin the Brookline Gas company from further digging up the streets without a permit from the board, over the mayor's veto. The aldermen claim that it is not in the mayor's province to issue permits, while the mayor makes the opposite contention.

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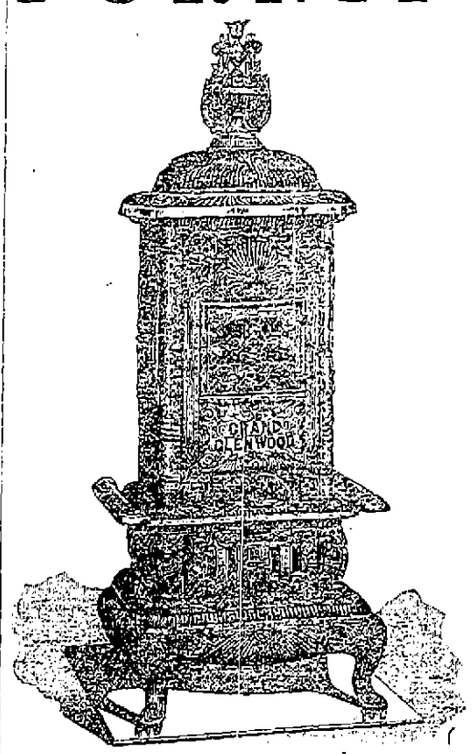

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FOSTER TRAGEDY

Rigid Cross Examination of Billerica Men.

LAWYER CURRAN WORKING HARD FOR HIS CLIENTS.

Different Stories of the Midnight Battle.

The hearing over the Foster tragedy is still on and will quite likely continue today and tomorrow. Continuing the taking of evidence from the point left off in THE SUN of yesterday's extra edition the hearing progressed as given below:

Henry Pryor Cox

of Billerica was called. He asked for a glass of water evidently foreseeing a long examination.

He testified that he was a married man and had lived at Mr. McIntyre's house for two years. Mr. McIntyre's house is on the cross roads to Woburn and is about quarter of a mile from the junction of the Billerica and Burlington roads.

On the night of the shooting, he was awakened at 10.30 by Messrs. Foster and Nichols.

Mr. Wier asked what Mr. Foster said to him and Mr. Curran objected, a lengthy argument following. The district attorney claimed that he wanted to make witness conduct in going after the men justifiable.

Lawyer Curran argued the point very strongly. He was willing to admit that Cox had reason to believe that some one had robbed Foster. The testimony then went on, the question remaining unanswered as the court excluded it and any conversation between the witness and Mr. Foster.

As a result of the conversation, witness harnessed his open buggy, and he with Nichols and Foster went along the road.

On the road to Billerica they passed a team standing at Paschal's about three miles from the Center on the road.

A man was standing by the horse, apparently fixing the harness. They then drove on to the Stearns house and got Mr. Livingston and all four went off, following the tracks of the wagon, which had been standing at Paschal's. They got out on the Bedford road opposite the wagon, which they found standing at one side of the road, a man holding the horse. He noticed a peculiarity about the horse's tracks and thought the horse shoe shown in court would make tracks similar to those in the road.

Cox's Story of the Shooting.

"We all got out of the wagon except Mr. Foster. Mr. Livingston caught the man at the horse, and he started to run around the wagon. I ran around the other way, and caught his right arm putting my other hand on his throat. When the men came over the wall, I let go of him. Mr. Nichols, at this time was trying to put on the handcuffs. Livingston had his revolver pointed at the man's breast, while Nichols had one pointed at his head.

"I did not see the men after the first shot. I saw them about the time they fired. I did not know where the first shots struck. I ran behind the wagon until after the second volley when I ran up behind my horse. No shots were fired in the second voley. I think eight or ten shots were fired in all. When I was standing behind the wagon, Foster was in the wagon.

When I came from behind the wagon my horse was jumping and Mr. Foster appeared to be holding him in. He was sitting up, but I couldn't see whether he had the reins in his hand.

It was about 150 feet beyond that I saw his body.

After the shooting I came from behind the horse, when Mr. Cox called me and we went up to the next house and borrowed a team. It was Dr. Tyler's house. We went back to the road where the body was lying. He was lying face down.

When we found the carriage the off hind wheel was covered with blood. It was on both sides of the spokes more being on the top side. There was some blood on other parts of the carriage.

Cox Cross-Examined.

On cross examination witness said he and Foster were neighbors. On the night in question Mr. Foster was "sober enough."

What do you mean by "sober enough" asked Lawyer Curran.

"I meant that he was not drunk, though he had a drink in I could not smell it," answered Cox.

"Did the fact that he wasn't drunk, strike you as peculiar?"

"It did," said Cox.

At this point Nichols' revolver was produced. It was loaded and everyone in its range dodged.

"We had better unload this, your Honor, or there might be another accidental shooting" said Mr. Curran.

Officer Palmer unloaded one shell from the revolver and Cox identified it as the one Nichols had on the night of the 11th.

When asked to describe the man fixing the harness in the wagon outside of Paschal's house, he could not do so; didn't notice that he had a cap on; Nichols didn't say he wore one.

He and Livingston got out at Paschal's when they found the wagon gone and examined the tracks.

Coming once more to the time of the struggle on the road with the man said to be Nagle, the witness was cross-examined carefully. About the time of the shots, Nichols had his revolver pointed at the man's head; Livingston had his pointed at his breast, while he had the man by the arm and neck. The man didn't do any struggling to get away from the handcuffs.

Witness heard no one yell to him before the shots were fired. The two men when they shot, the second time, were pointing their revolvers up the road, in the direction of Livingston, though he couldn't say they aimed at him.

He got a good look at the man he grappled with. He described him to Chief McIntosh as a man about his height; in his opinion without a mustache and that he wore a cap.

Witness went down to Woburn and when he saw Nagle said:

"I'd say he was the same man, if he didn't have that mustache. I saw Nagle a few days after the shooting."

"You didn't identify Nagle then as the man who held the horse?" asked Mr. Curran.

"No sir," said Cox.

"You don't identify him now, do you?"

"No sir," was the answer.

Nagle was then asked to stand up in the dock that the witness might see his mustache and when Cox was asked by Mr. Curran if he could mistake that mustache that night and he replied "I might have been mistaken as he stood in the shadow of the bushes."

He noticed no name on the wagon nor did he hear the others say there was any name on it.

He saw the wagon supposed to be the one seen in the road in Woburn but could not identify it.

District Attorney Wier examined the witness again in regard to his conversation with Chief McIntosh, in Woburn, as in cross examination it appeared that he had been told to come down and see the wagon which had been in the road, instead of going to see if he could identify a wagon as the one seen.

Mr. Wier also asked him if he could identify Nagle as the man holding the horse and again he replied negatively.

Charles A. Nichols

was called next. It was admitted by the defendant's counsel that this party was justified in going in pursuit. The first part of his testimony was substantially the same as Mr. Cox's.

When they went up to the man who was holding the horse, Mr. Livingston said to him: "I guess you'll have to go with me."

He then related the circumstances which led up to the shooting. He pulled the revolvar on him afterwards and it went off.

Nichols Finds Foster.

"When the second volley was fired I ran, said Nichols. I didn't fire my revolver again because I didn't have time. The carriage in which Foster sat was moving when I ran. I kept on until I found Foster in the road."

Two pictures of the horse and wagon were shown witness, and he was asked if he could identify them. He said, "the wagon that I saw was some such sort of a wagon."

When asked if he could identify the man he saw on the road, he replied that he could not swear to his identity.

Lawyer Curran had just begun his cross-examination when adjournment was taken until 9.30 tomorrow morning.

Evidence Taken This Morning.

The hearing in the Foster case was resumed at 9.30 o'clock, this morning.

Charles A. Nichols was called for cross examination.

He said he had spoken to reporters since then. He didn't think he told them that all three ran from the town when the shot was fired. He couldn't swear, he repeated, to the identity of any of the men who did the shooting. Remembered being in the police station once in his life and then he was waiting for Cox; didn't remember whether he talked with people about the murder while there.

Last Thursday at the inquest he attempted to describe the murderers and he thought he had told his friends that one fellow had a mustache on, as he saw that when he came over the wall.

He told them, the fellow they held had a smooth face; thought he had on either a jumper or a cardigan; didn't think he said that his party ran away; wouldn't say he didn't. He remembered Mr. Livingston passing up the hill, but couldn't say he ran; couldn't say in what direction he went; didn't see Livingston fire when he came near him.

Witness said he was 30 feet away when he fired; aimed at one of the men; couldn't say which one.

Witness in describing the positions of the actors of the tragedy was very vague. He didn't notice what Livingston did when the first shots were fired, as he was the first to leave. He went into the road and pulled his revolver twice, pointing at the men in the road.

When the fellows in the road fired the second shot, one was near the center of the road and one near the wheel ruts on the side, nearly opposite their own wagon; Livingston was up the street, witness was 30 feet away, 10 feet above Livingston, couldn't say what Livingston was doing.

After the witness came back from Foster, he was pretty sure Livingston "hollered" "murder.

Witness was further questioned about conversation with Livingston and as he was slow in answering questions the court told him to speak quickly. Did not talk about the probability of Livingston shooting Foster.

Constable Livingston was recalled but as he did not have the revolver used on that night with him he was not questioned.

A. W. Allen, a carpenter of Billerica, identified the picture of a wagon as similar to a wagon he met at 12.40 the morning of the shooting on the road, after hearing shooting at some distance away. Horse was going rapidly; saw horse and wagon at Woburn with Chief McIntosh.

After he got home on the night of the murder he heard another team.

Gaffney Meets Sullivan.

Michael Gaffney of Somerville, is a peddler employed by a man named Lyons. On Tuesday, Sept. 11, he was in Lyon's yard.

Witness has known Patrick Sullivan for two months; he had been using a horse and wagon kept in Lyon's barn. On Tuesday, Sept. 11, saw Sullivan coming into the barn at 5 o'clock with a two horse tip cart; spoke to him about a horse. Sullivan unhitched the horses after the conversation; saw Sullivan go away after six; saw him come back a short time afterward; a man named McGaffigan was picking grapes at the time.

Witness said Lyons came into the yard; heard Sullivan ask McGaffigan for the loan of his forward wheels; he was allowed to take them.

Witness remained in the yard till 6.45; didn't see Sullivan after the conversation.

"After suppor," said the witness, "I came out again and Sullivan was in the yard with the man in the dock, called Foley.

"Sullivan and Foley lifted the wagon, Lyons pulled out the wheels and I pushed McGaffigan's.

"About 7.45 Sullivan drove out. I didn't see Foley after the wheels were put on. Sullivan had gone out and came back at 7.40; said he was going out to Newton. He hitched a broncho into the wagon; it weighed about 700 or 800. I saw the broncho again Wednesday night, when Inspector Kelly took it out of the stable. One of the shafts on McGaffigan's gears was broken.

McGaffigan drove out with Sullivan. They went in the direction of the school house.

"Sullivan came back alone at 8.15. He drove up to the gate and drove away. It was his wagon but I couldn't tell who was inside." He didn't mean that he saw Sullivan.

Witness saw the wagon in the yard at 6 o'clock the next morning and saw Inspector Kelly take it away.

He couldn't tell whether he saw Foley again that night. Nagle and one other man came around and inquired for Sullivan about eight o'clock. Witness told them Sullivan had gone up the street and they went that way.

The horse in Sullivan's wagon was hitched rather short; didn't notice that he wore collar and haimes.

Witness, cross examined by Lawyer Curran, said that of late the yard has contained tip carts, trucks, etc.

He was pretty sure that the horse had on no collar and haimes; if the horse had them on he would have noticed it when hitching up.

On redirect examination Mr. Wier asked the witness if he had seen a blue wheel in the yard some two weeks before the murder, his object being to show that this wheel was taken from a place near the murder by some one in Sullivan's team, showing his familiarity with the roads in the vicinity of the scene of the murder. Lawyer Curran objected; the court allowed it. Witness saw the wheel in the yard but did not know how it came there.

Mr. Wier than asked if Sullivan borrowed a team from McGaffigan to show Sullivan borrowed a team and returned with the wheel. An argument upon the competency of the question followed. Witness couldn't answer positively. He never saw Sullivan take a wheel out of McGaffigan's wagon.

James McGaffigan, a pedler of Somerville owning his own team was the next witness. He keeps his horse at Lyon's stable. On Sept. 11, at 6.15, he went to feed his horse and met Gaffney. After feeding the horse he went out and picked grapes. Sullivan came there and asked for the loan of the wheels. Sullivan said before that "why didn't you pay this man?"

Witness didn't look down but thinking Sullivan meant Foley who had peddled with him the day before replied "Didn't I pay him, I gave him a belly full of beer?"

Witness told Sullivan to take the wheels and later on having gone home and returned, helped to harness the broncho. Witness got into the wagon with Sullivan and drove up a little way. Sullivan said he was going to Newton.

Witness got out and walked into a friend's store and coming out saw Foley, Nagle and Sullivan's father standing together. Some one of them said, "did you see Pat?" and witness told them where he went. The three started in that direction. Nagle turned around and asked him to have a drink and witness replied that he wasn't drinking.

Witness didn't see the men again that night.

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The candy table, a sweet place of course, was in charge of Miss Katherine Lennon, assisted by Misses Katherine Smith, Mary Lennon, Theresa Corbett, Annie King, Margaret King, Lizzie Lawler.

The lemonade table was in charge of Miss Sarah Sparks, assisted by Jennie Dunham and Maud Riley.

Holy Rosary table, President, Mrs. Jones; assistants, Mrs. James Gookin, Mrs. Tighe, and Mrs. Welch. Columbian table, President Margaret Sullivan, assistants; Misses Katie Lawler, Katie Allen, Maggie Sheehan, Mary Dacey, Katie Leevey. The Y. M. C. I. is presided over by Miss Norah Sheehan, Sarah McCaffrey, Mary Sheehan, Sarah McQuade, E. Woods, Annie Conlon, Mary Duggan, Margaret Sheehan, Nellie McGrade and Mrs. William Cogger.

The Children of Mary's table had Miss Julia Halloran as presiding lady. Her assistants were, Misses Margaret Smith, Mary Crotty, Etta King, Mary Cooney, Katie Sullivan, Lena Ewing, and Etta Burns.

St. Francis' table was in charge of Mrs. Shipley. Mrs. McCaffrey, Misses Mary A. Hoddard, Margaret McPherson, Mary Smith and Margaret Crane assisted Mrs. Shipley.

Sunday school table.—President, Miss Nellie Cavanaugh; assistants, the Misses Mary and Agnes Cavanaugh, Misses Agnes Haley, Katie Burgoyne, Katie Duffy, Susie Riley, Ella Harnden, Katie Riley, Annie McLaughlin. The pond was patronized by a very large number of people. Mr. James Flood is in charge and has Sarah McCaffrey and Annie Conlon to assist him. The dispensors of cool drinks are Michael Quinn, James McLaughlin, George Clark, and John Flannagan. The base ball practice is under the watchful eyes of John Payne, Jerry Leary and Joseph Cox. Last, but not least, are the grab bags. They are carried by Misses Mary Boulger, Jennie Doherty, Agnes Sullivan and Winnie King.

The American orchestra was in attendance and rendered some very fine selections.

In our account of the Sunday evening concert we inadvertently overlooked the excellent work of the quartet consisting of P. P. Haggerty, T. P. Boulger, David B. Martin and James Murphy. Their singing was a feature of the evening.

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IN WHICH THE ACTOR PLAYED THE HEAVY VILLAIN.

Story Told of an Episode in the Life of a Waitress at the Merrimack House Showing the Fickleness of a New York Actor.

Miss Mary Maguire, a waitress at the Merrimack house, is reported to have been made the victim of an alleged actor named Abbott who came here to play in "The Pulse of New Yark" and was fixed, being too good for the show.

Abbott and Miss Maguire have been making love to each other and the actor proposed and was accepted. He told Mary to meet him in North Chelmsford last Friday and she did, dressing in her best and quitting her job at the hotel. Abbott didn't show up and Mary came to the city sadder and wiser. That night Abbott and another female walked into the hotel and Capt. Partridge called them to account and ordered both out of the house and town.

The Maguire girl was taken back to work. It is said that Abbott also talked marriage to a Bijou actress.

SICK PEOPLE BURNED.

One Way and An Inhuman Way of Destroying Cholera.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WARSAW, Russia, Sept. 25.—Sixty houses in Balzki which is cholera stricken, were burned yesterday. The sick people in the houses were too ill to move and were burned to death.

FROM THE WIRE.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

There is possibility of a strike among the brotherhood tailors in New York, in sympathy with Boston strikers.

Elsie Mack won the mile dash for yearlings, purse $1000, in 2.47¾ at Mystic this morning.

Senator Dave Hill was chosen chairman of the N. Y. democratic convention today.

NO CHOICE MADE.

New York Democratic Convention Adjourned Until Tomorrow.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

SARATOGA, Sept. 25.—The democratic convention adjourned until noon tomorrow without making nomination.

Connecticut's Ticket.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 25.—The democratic state ticket is Cady and Beardsley.

LIKE SARDINES IN A BOX

WERE PEOPLE PACKED INTO A TEMPORARY COURT ROOM.

Judge Frye Presided at the Police Court While Judge Hadley Continued the Murder Hearing in the Big Court Room.

It is pretty evident that Lowell needs two judges of the municipal court. Business, both criminal and civil, is now of such a volume that Judge Hadley cannot handle it.

To dispose of criminal business Judge Frye held court in the special justice's room and it was packed with prisoners, officers and spectators, while the atmosphere was almost unbearable.

In the main court room the murder hearing was continued with a big attendance of witnesses.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

The first night of the Pay Train at Music hall saw a crowded house. Its performance demonstrated that it is one of the most successful melodramas on the road, and in the hands of the present excellent company, headed by Mable Davidson, a clever soubrette; it was never better given. The scenic equipment is worthy of mention, and to make the importance of the engagement more impressive it is stated that this is the first time The Pay Train has been staged at popular prices.

If you like minstrelsy and vaudeville just put in an evening at the Bijou for they have a lively bill this week, with a number of specialties by members of the colored troop which are remarkably clever. The songs, jig and buck dancing remind one of plantation scenes below Dixie's line. Great bill for popular prices; don't forget it.

DEATHS.

Lillian Belle Hammond, aged 26 years, died Sunday evening at St. Joh's hospital. Death resulted from inflammation, brought on by a cold contracted a week ago. Deceased had just entered the training school and prior to this taught in the schools of Westford. She lived at 122 Branch street. Her remains were forwarded to Barton Landing, Vt., this morning for interment.

McMannon, florist, Prescott & Merr'mack

Success in the Millinery Business.

This week marks the third anniversary of one of our successful milliners. We refer to Miss M. J. Brady of Palmer street. She deserves to be congratulated on her success in business and this season she will far excell all previous efforts in her line. Having just returned from New York and having seen the latest French and New York fashions and novelties she is preparing for her formal opening on Friday and Saturday. She promises one of the finest displays of fine hats and bonnets shown in Lowell. Everybody is cordially invited to be present to examine her rich and rare goods. Her prices this season will be as heretofore always the most reasonable in the city. Special inducements will be offered at the grand opening. Remember the time and place, Friday and Saturday, Miss M. J. Brady, Palmer street.

Japanese Were Slaughtered.

We are having a sale this week on Japanese varieties. The prices are marked away down. See the goods in our corner window. The U. S. Tea Co., corner Central and Prescott streets.

THE MERRIMACK

CLOTHING CO.'S ANNIVERSARY.

From a Reporter's Point of View.

No event this season created more interest than the anniversary celebration of the Merrimack clothing company Friday evening last. From 7 to 10 o'clock the strains of the American orchestra delighted thousands who visited and lingered in the various departments of the beautiful store. To say that it looked well would be putting it mildly. It never looked half so well. A beautiful alcove arranged with bunting was constructed over the office for the orchestra, and was a tribute to Manager O'Hearn's ingenuity.

Great interest was taken in the collection of suits for men as displayed in the windows, and the assortment cannot be rivaled in Lowell nor surpassed in New England.

$10 Suits

are the strongest features, being the most popular, and the policy of the concern in delaying the fall purchase until the settlement of the tariff gives patrons of the store an advantage which must be appreciated, because of its great gain to them. The "Free Wool" or "New Tariff Giant" is a suit for $10, which the company expects to sell hundreds of, as it is an anniversary bargain and worth $15. These will be continued at this price until the close of this month, but no longer.

The following are the salesmen in the clothing department: N. Huntley, E. Geoffroy, M. J. Mahoney, Joe Sullivan and D. Murphy.

Hats.

The success of this department is wonderful, but the stock merits it. The Lamson & Hubbard, the Guager, the Harrington and all other popular blocks are now in stock. An important feature in the success of the department is the fact that all hats are conformed without charge and that special sizes and shapes are duplicated in two days for any customer without extra charge. H. Bailey, whose experience as a hatter is well known, is in charge of the hats. The assortment of caps is wonderful.

The Boy's Department.

It only requires an idea of the facilities which are provided in the boy's department for mothers and lady visitors to make it by far the most popular in the city. The styles shown in boys' suits this season are very nobby and the prices at Merrimack corner are indeed low. A suit with double seat and double knee of strictly wool Scotch cheviot is offered for $2.50 and is a wonder. Another for $4 and A. Shuman's renowned "Knockabout" for $5 are the best values known in the boys' clothing trade and can be had only here. The assortment of waists in every fabric defies description. W. McGovern is in charge of the boys' department and ladies will find him painstaking and obliging.

Furnishing Goods.

This is the most popular department in the store and every line of goods offered for sale is first-class. The aim is to sell good goods at popular prices. The Petersburgh shirt is the best in the states and it is here at 39, 50, 75 cents, $1, $1.25, and $1.50 each, closed or open front, long or short bosoms, laundered or unlaundered. Those who have used the Petersburgh shirts will take no other. Special orders for large sizes are promptly filled at the same prices as quoted for regular goods. The line of fall underwear is a revelation to the ordinary furnishing goods man, and where purchasers will be found to purchase the 70 full cases now being shown is a surmise at best. "Our prices will sell them," says Mr. Dooley, the man in charge and truly they ought. The lines being shown at 25, 35, 50, 69, 75, 89 and $1 are very strong.

Neckwear and hosiery as well as collars and cuffs suggest good taste in their selection, the lines of collars and cuffs at 10 cents, and neckwear at 25 cents being most remarkable.

Overalls—Special Feature.

The firm manufacture all their own goods here and have done so for six months past. A few hours and you can have coats or overalls custom-made at 35, 40, 45 or 50 cents. They are daily improving their lines and have a stock of 500 pairs always in reserve.

Men in Charge.

Mr. T. Delany has charge of the cutting and making of overalls. Mr. Dooley is assisted in the furnishing department by Messrs. Frank Teague, Michael Dyer, M. J. Spillane, W. Meloy, Denis McCluskey, Thomas Mulcahy and Rudolph Vigneault.

LOCAL NOTES.

Evangelist Moody may not come to Lowell after all.

The work of raising the court house in its new position began this morning.

The committee on ordinances and legislation failed to transact business last evening.

Several bicyclists of the Highland school rode races on the boulevard, yesterday. Clarence Shorey won the mile, Charles Bartlett the half and quarter mile races.

All ladies of Lowell are cordially invited to attend Mrs. D. Crowley's opening of fall and winter millinery, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 27 and 28. Parlors 1 and 2 Pollard building, Palmer street.

For absolute, unadulterated purity, the "Premier" brand of the Rochester Brewing Co.'s beer, sold by the case or barrell by The Golden Sheaf, 55 Middle street, bears the stamp of public approval.

Mr. W. F. Guynan and a party of friends held an enjoyable outing at Long-Sought-For pond, Tuesday. Base ball was played and a fine time generally was enjoyed. The occasion was Mr. Guynan's birthday.

PERSONAL.

Mr. George B. Bruce is back from Old Orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Gifford have gone to the mountains.

Mrs. A. Work of the Carpet corporation has returned from the west.

Mr. Charles V. Barker is attending the musical festival at Worcester this week.

Bishop Lawrence of the Massachusetts diocese will visit the archdeaconry of Lowell, Oct. 4th.

Leonard T. Farris for three years with S. W. Fletcher, has accepted a responsible position with a firm in Calais, Me.

Mr. Charles H. Duprez of ministrel fame arrived here last night from the west, where he has been connected with different theatrical enterprises.

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THE SUN EXTRA

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FIFIELD CHOSEN

It Was Unanimous Choice as Well.

JOE BEADLEE HAD A STRONG FOLLOWING.

Only Opposition Came From Two Lowell Men.

Hon. George W. Fifield is the choice of the democrats of the district for congress to succeed Hon. Moses T. Stevens.

The convention opened in Lawrence at 11 a. m., Frank J. Simonds of Lowell being temporary chairman and Edward Arundel, secretary. Committees were named and that on credentials reported 144 delegates present. Temporary organization made permanent. Philip J. Farley presented the name of Hon. George W. Fifield of Lowell to the convention as the candidate for the nomination as representative from the Fifth Massachusetts district.

William L. Bradley of Lawrence presented the name of Joseph M. Bradley of Andover as a candidate.

John F. Curtis of Lowell was on his feet to oppose the nomination saying that Mr. Fifield was supported by the Mail, an A. P. A. sheet, and was denounced by the News, Times and Star, during his mayoralty; and that Mr. Fifield was not a democrat.

John F. Curtis made the effort of his life. He promenaded the aisle, shook his fist in the face of Mr. Farley and told him he erred knowingly in stating that Fifield was a good democrat. Fifield he said had nominated a republican for chief of the fire department and was the most unpopular democrat in Lowell.

Mr. Curtis was followed by Daniel J. Donahoe, Esq., and when he began the delegates who knew his propensities murmured "he'll put his foot in it," but he didn't. He declared that no democrat in Lowell had more reason to oppose Fifield than he, but he was willing to waive personal matters, as a convention was no place to air such grievances. He declared that whatever else Mr. Fifield might be he was not in sympathy with the A. P. A. as was proved by the choice of his first wife who was a Catholic.

This declaration was received with cheers by the convention. The speaker then asserted that Mr. Fifield was quite popular with the laboring people of Lowell, and the working men who knew him and were in his employ had but the kindliest feelings for him.

After Mr. Donahue came John F. Murphy, who said he could not support Mr. Fifield, as he did not believe he could poll the democratic strength of Lowell. He then seconded the nomination of Mr. Bradley.

An informal ballot was taken as follows:

G. W. Fifield	78
Joseph Bradley	63
Joseph O'Neil	2
W. S. Knox	1

The motion to make the ballot formal was lost and it looked as if there would be strong opposition to Mr. Fifield.

Marcellus Fletcher took the floor and said that Mr. Fifield would not accept the nomination under any such conditions. He said Mr. Curtis's opposition was due to the fact that Mr. Fifield would not sign his liquor license.

This was received by derisive hoots and shouts. The speaker was told to subside as he was not a delegate and had no right to speak for Mr. Fifield or any one else. On motion a formal ballot was taken with the following result:

Whole number	143
Necessary	72
G. W. Fifield had	80
J. M. Bradley "	62
Joseph O'Neil "	1

The announcement of Mr. Fifield's nomination was received with great enthusiasm.

Mr. Bradley was on his feet in a moment and offered a motion to make the nomination unanimous. The motion was carried with one tremendous "aye" with the exception of the lone, single and solitary "no" from John F. Curtis.

A series of resolutions were passed endorsing the course of Congressman Stevens in his efforts in behalf of the manufacturing industries of the fifth district.

Meanwhile committees in the ante-room for the purpose of nominating a district committee had a fierce contest. The chief point of contention was between the friends of John J. Hogan and James F. Owens for membership on the district committee.

The district committee was appointed as follows: James F. Owens, Michael J. Garvey, Fisher H. Pearson, John F. Murphy, John F. Tully, Charles Riley, and John J. Hogan, Lowell; John I. Munroe, Thos. F. Fox, Wm. Mooney, Geo. F. Bean, Sewell D. Lamson, Edward A. Parker, Martin Doyle, Woburn; Dracut, Charles E. McCarthy, Tewksbury, G. W. Selig; Reading, Owen McKenny; North Reading, William H. Ryer; Peabody, Chas. J. Houghton; Lawrence, Wm. Norris, Thos. A. Brooks, John Breen, Michael O. Mahoney, James Reynolds, Charles E. Bradley; North Andover, John A. Morgan; Methuen, James O. Parker; Andover, J. J. Sweeney, Samuel D. Stevens.

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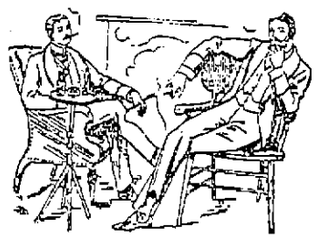

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THE CONVENTION

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MR. STEVENS EMPHATICALLY DECLINES THE NOMINATION.

Hon. George W. Fifield Will Probably Be Chosen.

Today the democrats of the fifth congressional district name a candidate to represent them in congress.

Early this morning little groups of the Lowell delegation were seen wending their way towards the depot to catch the train for Lawrence, while others drove over the road.

Senator Brady and a number of friends were among the latter. Henry Courtney and members of the Ward Two delegation went on the 8.30 train in order to make a survey of the situation in Lawrence, before the opening of the convention.

John J. Burns of Ward Five and his delegation, John J. Hogan and the bulk of the delegates from this city went down on the 10 o'clock train. They were a jolly crowd and nobody could notice any great concern as to who should be the nominee. Chairman Pearson and a portion of the Ward Two delegation were also on the train. From such a representative body of delegates it was easy to ascertain the feeling in regard to the various candidates mentioned. It was pretty evident that the majority was in favor of tendering the nomination to Hon. Moses T. Stevens in case he would consent to run but this generous sentiment was suddenly dispelled by a document which City Solicitor Hogan had in his possession. As chairman of the district committee, Mr. Stevens had written him the following communication:

NORTH ANDOVER, Mass., Sept. 24, 1894.

John J. Hogan, Esq., chairman of congressional committee.

Dear Sir:—Some of the democratic papers in this district have intimated that I might again consent to be a candidate for re-election as representative in congress.

I had hoped that the party would before this, be united on some strong man who could carry the district as I believe it can be done.

That there may be no uncertainty about my position, I will say that I should be compelled for reasons of health and business to decline a renomination, even if it was tendered me unanimously by the convention which is to meet tomorrow.

Yours truly,
M. T. STEVENS.

This settled the matter so far as Mr. Stevens' candidacy was concerned and as soon as the Stevens delegates were apprised of the fact, they at once became Fifield men.

A boom was started within the last two days for Congressman O'Neil in this district. Several delegates favored the idea of taking him up as compromise candidate. It is not necessary that a candidate should be a resident of the district.

Dr. Everett was elected in the seventh district, although a non-resident. There seems to be no reason, however, that the democrats of the fifth district should go outside to find a strong candidate for nomination.

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THE EAST Merrimack street bridge is being rapidly finished.

THE WHISKEY trust seems to be nearly drained out. The bung has fallen out of their barrel.

POSTMASTER PEARSON has made a new arrangement of the mails that will prove advantageous to the people.

THE WORK of registration is now commenced and should be prosecuted incessantly until the sessions of the registrars shall have closed.

THE HEARING on the Foster murder gave ample proof that the detectives have done excellent work on the case and that Officer Livingston of Billerica is no slouch.

MONTGOMERY says that Morse is to be governor of this state as certain as is any future event. He is setting himself up as a dictator. Morse is the Apaphobian candidate.

THE A.P.A. dark lantern organization is said to have control of the republican party in this city. The bible has been thrown aside for the religion of Justin Fulton and Montgomery, whose hatred of Catholics can be described only as a species of rabies.

HOW WOULD Mr. Ludlam do for chief of the fire department? We venture to say that he would *make things lively* if he saw a house going up in smoke, although he might preserve greater equanimity at the burning of a house in which he was not interested.

THE ANTI-SIMPKINS republicans are *getting together* in the thirteenth district. They are the men who do not want to be considered of the venal mob who sell themselves for beer and boodle. It is well that this element of the party should make its existence known.

THE INSPECTOR of wires and public prosecutor ordinances are to come up tonight in the city council. It is about time they should be either passed or killed. His Honor, the mayor, should not hold to the upper board method of appointment as by so doing he may defeat a measure which is *greatly needed*.

WHILE THE A. P. A. belches forth its gush about patriotism it shows no regard for the men who saved the country. In Lawrence Mr. Littlefield, a candidate for register of deeds who is an honored war veteran was turned down to give place to a man named Sanborn with no special merit or fitness for the place further than that he is a member of the dark lantern order of fanatics.

FROM THE intensity of the hatred with which the A. P. A. hounds Catholics, from the similarity in many important respects which this hatred, *this malice*, this blind prejudice, this spirit of ungodly arrogance, bears to rabies or hydrophobia, the principles of this new dark lantern order might well be named "Apaphobia" and as Apaphobians rather than disturbers, bigots, knownothings or fanatics, let the members of this organization be stigmatized now and hereafter.

NEW HAMPSHIRE REPUBLICANS INCENSED.

The democrats of New Hampshire are in hopes of electing Mr. Kent, their candidate for governor.

Busiel never was true to any party and furthermore he has been a continual kicker. He was a democrat or a supposed democrat, and left the party for purely personal reasons. He was a politician of the rule or ruin stripe and has evinced the same dominating spirit in the republican ranks.

It is putting it mildly to say that he is not popular. Many republicans who have been life-long workers in the party are actually incensed at the nomination. They would prefer to vote for a straight democrat, an open foe, than an office seeker who enters their party merely for his own personal advancement.

The rank and file of New Hampshire republicans are indignant at the nomination and believe it was secured by boodle. This gives the democrats an opportunity of electing Kent, and they are hopeful of victory. Not all Busiel's boodle will avail to assuage the wrath that is becoming hotter and hotter as the election day approaches.

THE CITIZEN is much concerned about the nomination of a candidate by the democrats of the Fifth district and no wonder inasmuch as it is the accredited, and we have no doubt the *official organ*, of Knox in this city. It questions THE SUN's attitude towards the various candidates and as usual assumes a few things that are not so. To answer the Citizen's query, it may be said, that Mr. Stevens being a manufacturer whose tariff policy is known not *to be obnoxious to New England interests*, he would be more likely to escape their extreme opposition than a new man with whose policy on the tariff they are unacquainted. But the expression of this opinion does not imply that THE SUN is for or against him. THE SUN is for whomsoever will be nominated by a majority of the delegates to the convention which assembled in Lawrence this morning.

PARSON BROWN of Fall River has folded his political-social-religious gospel tent and come into notice as a mediator between *the Fall River strikers and their employes*. He begs of the strikers for the sake of their families to go back to work and await developments. He stands upon the ground that the corporations are willing to withdraw their cut down order just as soon as business will warrant it. In common with ex-Senator Howard he considers the voluntary vacation another blunder. It is quite likely that the strikers under the circumstances will soon conclude to return to work.

TODAY THE democrats of the Empire state have to nominate a candidate for governor and upon the wisdom of their choice depends the fate of the democratic party throughout the nation for years. If they nominate a man who will defeat Morton they will deserve well of the country; if not, it can only be said that they have not proved equal to the emergency. A strong candidate will be needed to overcome the corruption to follow in the wake of Platt as general distributor of Morton's boodle.

CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

A Great Dog.

"When I was a-livin back east," said the man with the ginger beard, "I owned one of these here little woolly Scotch terriers that was one of the smartest animals you ever see. Funny thing! One day my wife was readin in the paper that woolly dogs wasn't goin to be in fashion that summer, and she says to me, in a jokin sort of a way, 'I guess we will haf to sell Dagobert—that was his name—and git a nice, fashionable, smooth haired dog.' 'All right,' says I, still keepin up the joke. Now, what do you suppose that there dog went and did?"

"Mebbe he committed suicide," ventured the grocer. "I have heard of dogs havin their feelin's hurt so bad that they killed theirselves."

"Not much he didn't! Didn't I jist tell you he had a whole lot of sense? He jest snaked a quarter out'n the box where we kept the small change to pay the milkman and the newspaper boy and went down the barber shop and had his hair cut, that's what he did!"—Indianapolis Journal.

Satisfied.

This is *one of the* unique experiences that befall the hardware trade. Some days since a dear old lady from the country went into a grocery store in Lewiston, Me., and offered some glue for sale. "Where did you get it?" asked the dealer. "Where did I get it?" she repeated proudly. "I made it. Where do you suppose? I have been saving up the feet of all the critters that we have killed in years, and here's the glue. I b'iled it out myself." When she was paid the small amount of money the glue was worth, she went off apparently happy and contented, though she got only 65 *cents*.—*Hardware*.

She Said He Did, but Did He?

Teacher (of east side school)—Now, boys, we will parse the sentence, "William refused the cake." Tommy Jones, what is "William?"

Tommy Jones—He's an ass.—Truth.

The Height of Bliss.

"Did your sister enjoy the serenade last night?"

Little Jimmy—Yes. She and Mr. Blinks laughed at everything you sang.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Quips That Pass In the Daytime.

"I hope I'm not entirely unwelcome," said the Disagreeable Man, thrusting his head in at the door, "because if I am you know, I'll come oftener."—Chicago Tribune.

A Quick Entry.

Mab—What was the first thing that came into your mind when Frank proposed?

Bess—The word "Yes."—Boston Courier.

SUNBEAMS.

Helping Him Out.

Tired Teddy—Wot 'r' ye flirtin wid do dog for?

Gay Getup—He's an ole acquaintance o' mine.

Tired Teddy—Does he like yer?

Gay Getup—Dead gone on me. He gives me a bite every time I comes round.—Brooklyn Life.

Saving Himself.

The late Professor Hyrtl was once in the room when Professor Langer was conducting the examination of an aspirant for the medical degree. Langer handed the student a small bone, saying: "Mr. Candidate, here is a bone. Don't look at it, but tell me from feeling it what kind of a bone it is, whether it belonged to the left or right side of the body and whether it was a part of a man or woman."

The poor student blushed from embarrassment. There was a large audience present, and he saw failure staring him in the face. He cast a helpless glance at Hyrtl, who moved about restlessly in his chair for a moment, and then sprang to his feet. "And tell me, Mr. Candidate," he cried out, the spirit of anger lighting up his large, blue eyes, "after answering the questions of my dear colleague the name of the original possessor of this bone, and where and in what street he lived."

This unexpected outburst "saved the day" for the poor candidate, but Professor Langer ever after declined to conduct an examination when Hyrtl was present.—Argonaut.

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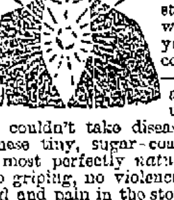

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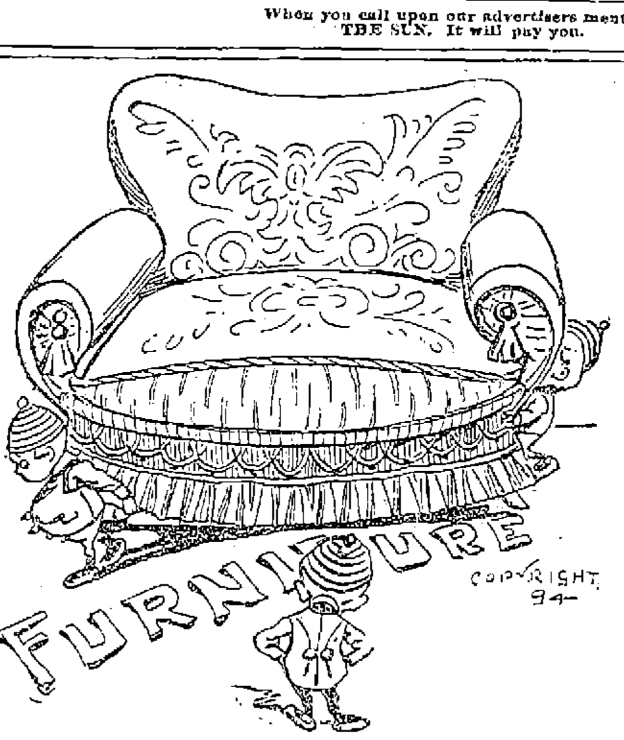

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THE HARVEST

The Warm Week Was Beneficial to Crops.

FARM WORK IS NOW WELL ADVANCED.

Apple Picking Begun With Prospect of Abundance.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—The summary of the weather and crop conditions in New England for the week just passed, as given by the New England weather service bureau, is as follows:

The weather for the week has been warmer than usual at this season of the year, with favorable harvesting weather and with an abundance of rain in all southern sections. The drought is now thoroughly broken over the greater part of New England. Wells have filled, the streams in pastures are full and grass is starting well.

New England's Rainfall.

The following is the rainfall for the week at each station, expressed in inches and hundredths: Eastport, Me., 0.55; Portland, Me., 1.47; Brookline, N. H., 1.11; Alstead, N. H., 0.92; West Milan, N. H., 1.21; Stratford, N. H., 0.50; Northfield, Vt., 1.28; Hartland, Vt., 2.20; Amesbury, Mass., 1.95; Ipswich, Mass., 1.19; Boston, 1.58; Nantucket, Mass., 0.20; Block Island, R. I., 1.14; Kingston, R. I., 2.53; South Manchester, Conn., 1.71; New London, Conn., 1.35; New Britain, Conn., 4.37; West Simsbury, Conn., 4.64; Westville, Conn., 5.54; Greenfield Hill, Conn., 3.58; Hawleyville, Conn., 3.50.

Fine Harvesting Weather.

Harvesting is going on rapidly in Maine with generally favorable weather. The rain was heavy in all central and southern sections and the ground is now plenty wet enough for fall plowing. A good crop of sweet corn has been harvested and the field corn is very good. The root crop is doing finely. Grass is looking well and there is an abundance of fall feed. Apples will be a light crop in Penobscot county.

Reseeding Necessary In Some Places.

There was a comparatively small amount of rain in the northern part of New Hampshire during the week. Grass is starting slowly and the springs and streams are filling up slowly, but in southern sections the ground is well filled with water, and grass in fields and pastures is starting finely, except the new seedings that were killed by drought. Much reseeding will have to be done. Apple picking has begun and is nearly two weeks early.

Much fruit was blown off during the storm of the 19th and 20th. In Cheshire county there are few apples in the valleys. In Sullivan county there seems to be plenty of fall fruit, but the Baldwins are reported a light crop. In Coos county the yield of potatoes is very large and sound. Corn harvesting is well under way, with a good crop. Beans are very good and ripe.

Ground Never Plowed Better.

Much plowing is being done in Vermont and correspondents say that the ground never plowed better. The wind and rain during the storm beat off a good many apples, but generally this fruit is pronounced very promising.

In Orange county the correspondent states that apples are plenty on the hills, but in the valleys and for 150 feet up they are scarce; this is probably true in many towns in this state and in New Hampshire. Beans have ripened well, are mostly pulled, and are pronounced an extra crop. Feed is good. The potato rot is at a minimum in southern counties.

Farm Work Well Advanced.

The fine weather has been favorable for farm work, and in Massachusetts it is well advanced for the season.

In parts of eastern Franklin county the wind during the late storm did much damage to fruit trees and timber, but the correspondent in central Worcester county states that no damage was done beyond shaking off a few worms or dead-ripe apples. The weather has been favorable for gathering rowen, which is a light crop.

Generally the rains have started the grass on fields and pastures, but a correspondent in Hampden county states that he has examined grass lands and finds many roots dead. He thinks the crop for next year has been seriously affected. In that county much of last spring's seeding is dead, and many are reseeding. This is true in some other sections, but whether the failure of new grass to live is general or not the correspondents have failed to note. Forage crops and roots are growing very well. Apple picking is under way, and almost every correspondent reports a good crop in prospect; they are generally of extra good color and quality. Quinces are good in Worcester county.

Rain Has Not Reached Wells.

Although the rainfall in parts of Rhode Island, including that which fell on the 17th, was 3¼ inches, the correspondents report that wells have not felt its effects yet. The streams in pastures, however, have been filled, and all grass fields and pastures and newly seeded pieces have been greatly helped. Late garden and forage crops are growing well. Apple picking has begun, and in Providence county the crop is estimated below average. The latter part of the week gave good weather for curing corn.

Rain Was Heavy.

In many places in southwestern Connecticut the rain of the 19th and 20th gave the greatest amount that has fallen in one storm for over a year. The rowen crop generally is pronounced a failure, but the pastures and meadows are green and growing very fast, and there will be plenty of fall feed. Grass seed sown last spring with grain has been killed out on dry knolls, but no correspondent reports anticipation of a short hay crop next year on account of this season's drought.

The correspondent at West Simsbury states that he can find no turf that was entirely killed. The observer at New London says: "The pastures, except in places where the drought killed the roots (which does not appear as serious as first expected), are in prime condition. The prospects for next year are very bright and satisfactory." Fall plowing is under way. Turnips are good. Cabbage, celery, etc., are growing very fast, though in Fairfield county the celery is reported unusually poor. Tomatoes are doing better. Buckwheat is ripening well with prospect of medium yield. Late corn is ripening finely in the good weather; the earlier corn is mostly cut and gives a good yield. Apple picking has begun and most correspondents report a fair yield of winter fruit in prospect.

Incendiaries at Work.

ERIE, Pa., Sept. 25.—The firebug applied his torch to the Erie city shops last night. A northwest breeze drove the flames over the five acre plant. The united efforts of the fire department could do nothing but save adjoining property. The shops were built 2½ years ago and were valued at $250,000. This is the sixth incendiary fire that has occurred during the week.

DECLARED A DRAW.

Murphy Pluckily Stood Before Plimmer In a Twenty-Five Round Fight.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 25.—The first of the series of the fights which will form the pugilistic triple event at the Olympic club took place last night in the presence of about 5000 spectators. John P. Eckhardt officiated as referee.

Murphy and Plimmer fought for a purse of $2500—$2000 to the winner and $500 to the loser. The men were in splendid condition, and weighed in at the stipulated weight, 115 pounds.

The stakeless ring was introduced for the first time, and so far as appearances went seemed to be an improvement on the old style roped enclosure.

Plimmer was seconded by Billy McCarthy, Bennie Murphy and Al Robb. Murphy was looked after by James Connery, Jake Kilrain and Andy Bowen. Frank Carambeck was official timekeeper.

The fighting at times was terrific, Plimmer apparently having the better of it, jabbing Murphy all around the ring and dealing out severe punishment. At the windup, the audience rose in a body to hear the verdict. The referee declared the match a draw, and the decision received general approbation. Plimmer had the better of the hitting, but the little Boston man's gameness and generalship enabled him to continue the contest to the required 25 rounds.

They Won't Go Back.

FITCHBURG, Mass., Sept. 25.—The conference committee of the board of trade appointed to arbitrate the differences between the Parkhill Manufacturing company and its employes held a conference yesterday with the executive board of the strikers. At a meeting of 428 of the company's employes, last night, the proposition that they return to work on full time at a reduced rate of wages was voted down by a vote of 389 to 28.

Hodgkins Held For Manslaughter.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Sept. 25.—The hearing in the manslaughter case of A. W. Hodgkins, who was the telegraph operator at West Portal at the time of the tunnel accident, began in the district court yesterday. The cross-examination of Crosier resulted in sensational evidence against himself. No action was taken regarding Crosier. Hodgkins was held for the grand jury for manslaughter in $3000 bonds.

Sentenced to Death.

SYRACUSE, Sept. 25.—Charles F. Wilson was sentenced by Justice Williams to be electrocuted during the week beginning Nov. 6 for participation in the murder of Detective Harvey. The prisoner took his sentence calmly.

Death Feared Soon.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—Peter Berlo, the famous cyclist of this city, is at the city hospital in a precarious condition, and it is feared that he will live but a few hours. Berlo's illness is inflammation of the bowels.

Killed by an Electric.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 25.—Mrs. Bridget Cannon, 70 years old, was struck by an electric car and was so seriously injured that she died. Her skull was fractured in three places.

Atchison's New Receiver.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Judge Lacombe, in the United States circuit court yesterday, formally ordered the appointment of Aldace F. Walker receiver of the Atchison.

Self Praise, Etc.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—John L. Sullivan, while driving about town yesterday, dropped in at the White House. The place was closed for repairs, so the ex-pugilist was not admitted, although he explained to the watchman at the door that he (Sullivan) was a better man than he who occupied the mansion.

A $5000 Purse Offered.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 25.—The Narragansett Racing association has offered a purse of $5000 for a mile race between Henry of Navarre, Domino and Clifford, or any two of them, on Oct. 2.

A New Departure.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—The University of Chicago has made arrangements for the publication of an astronomical journal, which will be international in scope and character. Professor Hale of the Chicago university and James E. Keller of Allegheny university are to be editors. The associate editors will be such famous astronomers and astrophysicians as Achine of Rome, Vogel of Pottsdam, Duner of Sweden and Dr. Huggins of England.

Conspiracy Story Renewed.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The World this morning publishes a page story that Archbishop Corrigan has been accused in Rome of a conspiracy. The document is said to be signed by some of the leading Catholics of the country. The old accusation is made that the archbishop, through the assistance of Michael Walsh, secured the publication of articles in the Catholic papers severely reflecting upon Mgr. Satolli.

To Test Her Engines.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The Maine is ready for trial and the contractors for the machinery have asked permission to take her out for a preliminary trial spin in order to insure the good working of the engines and auxiliaries before the formal trial. This permission has been granted, and the ship will probably go out within the next 48 hours.

Crushed by Falling Earth.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 25.—Five laborers were buried under a mass of earth almost as compact as stone, while at work making an excavation for the foundation of a retaining wall on the Richmond branch of the Reading railroad. One man died a few minutes after his body was recovered. Four others were seriously injured.

Thibedeau's Murderer Arrested.

THREE RIVERS, Que., Sept. 25.—John B. Ouellette was arrested at Grand Mere for the murder of Daniel Thibedeau at Jay Bridge, Me., on Sept. 1. Ouellette was in bed when arrested and broke down completely and confessed his guilt, saying: "Whisky made me do it."

FORCING THINGS

Japan Pomises an Early End to War.

CHINA WILL MAKE REPARATION FOR ALL DAMAGE.

And Acts of Violence to Resident Foreigners.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—A reporter had an interview yesterday with M. Myabara, a Japanese naval constructor, who is here supervising the building of two first-class men-of-war for Japan. Each of the vessels is to be of 12,300 tons, and is to be completed in four years.

M. Myabara dwelt at length upon the sudden volte-face of English opinion in favor of Japan since her successes in Corea. He said the Yalu battle had by no means disturbed his faith in the vast importance of big armored battleships. Cruisers, of course, were of undoubted value, but big ironclads were the great determining factor, and that was where China had an advantage over Japan. M. Myabara said it made him fret to think that the two ironclads now being built were not commenced six years ago.

With regard to the campaign, he thought that everything pointed in a Japanese march toward Pekin. Beyond that he was not inclined to say much. Personally, he believed that the war would terminate before winter.

"You may depend upon it," he continued, "that Japan will force matters to a finish before November, when the gulfs of Pe-Chi-Li and Liau-Tong are frozen over. You will probably soon hear of a great battle on the Yalu.

"The Japanese are good marchers, and therefore we may soon expect something important. In the meantime there may be minor fights on the march, of which you will hear nothing, because during the intervals of marching on an important position not a paragraph concerning the movements of the troops will be allowed to be telegraphed."

Pekin Authorities Embarrassed.

Advices from Shanghai state that the murder of the two missionaries by Chinese soldiers has been followed by the assassination of a French customs officer on the frontier of Tonquin. These acts of violence are greatly embarrassing the Pekin authorities at the present time, and it is announced reparation will be offered in the case of Rev. Mr. Wylie by executing his assailants, rebuilding the wrecked chapel and paying a sum of money to the family of the victim.

The English newspapers in Shanghai state that the unprecedented step will be taken of expressing regret in an imperial diet, a form of atonement which assuredly would never have been vouchsafed in less troubled times. As regards the outrages on Frenchmen, ships of war of that nation will demand reparation. The work of strengthening the defenses along Chinese coasts is continued, mostly by posting floating batteries at points of supposed danger.

Doings In Japan.

A Yokohama dispatch announces that the foreign department of Japan has given notice that duly accredited newspaper correspondents may hereafter accompany the military forces of the entire empire, and will receive all consideration that can reasonably be given by commanders of troops.

The trophies captured at Konh-Hwan and Casan will soon be exhibited in Tokio. The collection is large and various, consisting of over 50 battleflags, arms of all descriptions, an immense quantity of clothing, personal adornments and musical instruments.

The Clothing Trade Strike.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—Yesterday's developments in the great clothing trade strike in this city were of a two-fold nature. On the one hand, the signs all pointed to speedy success for the unions. On the other, the action of the Clothing Manufacturers' association seemed to indicate that the contractors and workmen are in for a prolonged contest. Officials of the Clothing Contractors' association claim to have received no notification of what the merchant clothiers intend to do with the price list drawn up by the contractors.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Ten stores in Tomah, Wis., were burned.

General Willard Slocum died at Ashland, O.

General Ezeta was declared free of extradition.

A great many cases of diphtheria are reported in Boston.

Cholera in Austria is diminishing, in Russia still raging.

Italian strikers attacked workmen in a Brooklyn shoe factory.

Major Moore was found guilty, at Buffalo, of pension frauds.

France will have no interference in Madagascar, Egypt or Tripoli.

Religious pilgrims were injured in a train wreck near Valencia, Spain.

Premier Crispi is going to Naples in order to complete a course of baths.

Schooner Minnesota, of Gloucester, Mass., is ashore at Gull Rock, N. S.

Naval officers are expecting great things from their new small caliber magazine rifle.

Thomas O'Neil of Boston, aged 18, was struck by a falling brick, fracturing his skull.

Ambassador Bayard will sail from Southampton, Oct. 6, for the United States.

The German congress of natural science opened at Vienna with about 2000 delegates present.

Schooner Annie C. Hall, of Gloucester, Mass., is ashore near Cape Sable, in a dangerous position.

ASKS FOR ARGUMENTS.

Bishop Spaulding's Reply to a Criticism by Bishop Kean.

PEORIA, Ills., Sept. 25.—Bishop Spaulding has furnished the following written statement with reference to the severe criticism passed by Bishop Kean upon his recent A. P. A. article in the North American Review, and supposed to have been inspired by the Vatican:

"I have read Bishop Kean's criticism on my article, and as it has not been disowned I must suppose it to be authentic. The important question is whether what I have published in The Review is true. A thing may be unfortunately true, and this is doubtless the bishop's meaning when he calls my article unfortunate.

"He says also that it is untimely, but I fail to see how this epithet can be applied in any right sense to the honest and dispassionate discussion of a subject which now attracts general attention and is not without importance. If my moderate expression of views of a question which is actually before the public, and which is of concern to both the country and the church, is to be condemned as unfortunate and ill-timed, then national discussion among Catholics is no longer to be thought of and the Catholic university is but a pretense.

"If what is said of Cardinal Gibbons is true, the least I can do, I suppose, is to regret that he should have to express his regret to the pope. Regrets, however, are idle, and the manly and American thing to do is to confront me with arguments and not to attempt to frighten me with groanings."

After Byrnes.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst fired another broadside at the Second Reformed Presbyterian church last night. He said: "The city of New York is at present the most phenomenal in the world. The recent outbreak of crime is unparalleled. The spirit of anarchy is abroad. There is such a regard for all police regulations as should make us blush if we do not tremble. If Superintendent Byrnes were to step squarely to the front and say: 'I am going to take up the obligations that devolve upon me, and if I am interfered with I will make it known to the community,' I believe the response would be thrilling."

Relics of Old-Time Barbarity.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 25.—A number of skeletons, with manacles attached to the arm and leg bones, have been found buried close to the surface of the courtyard of the custom house here. A similar discovery was made a few years ago at almost the same place, but upon the former occasion instruments of torture were also discovered with the skeletons. A secret chancellery of the tyrannical regent, Byrne, the favorite of Empress Anna, who reigned 1730-36, was situated where the remains were found.

Father Furnished Bail.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Herman Clark, the young broker under arrest for wrecking the brokerage firm of Hunter, Clark & Jacob of this city, was bailed out yesterday by his father. The bail was fixed at $10,000. Clark was out on bail before, but was surrendered by his father because he would not leave the woman for whom he had forsaken his wife.

Arsenic In the Coffee.

MEMPHIS, Sept. 25.—Mrs. Mattie Osborn, her four children, and W. E. Hunt, a boarder in the family, were poisoned yesterday by arsenic in their coffee, which Mrs. Osborn had herself prepared. Mrs. Osborn, her son Willie and daughter Mattie, and Hunt, are in a critical condition. There is no clew to the mystery of their poisoning.

Sixth Week of Idleness.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Sept. 25.—The sixth week of idleness in this city opens without any promise of an early resumption of work. The manufacturers seem more united than ever in their determination to make the operatives yield to their terms. Among the weavers there is much dissatisfaction because only one-half strike pay was allowed.

Crops Are Poor.

ROME, Sept. 25.—Serious complaints are being made in regard to the drought. In the Tyrol and southern Alps only has there been sufficient rain. The corn crop is pronounced to be poor, and the wine crop, although of good quality, is poor in quantity. The olive crop is good.

Athletes Injured.

HANOVER, N. H., Sept. 25.—Little of the Dartmouth football team broke the ligaments in his shoulder yesterday, disabling him, and Pollard, half-back, cracked his collar bone, laying him off for the rest of the season.

The Bulgarian Elections.

SOFIA, Sept. 25.—Returns from 153 districts show the election of 114 ministerialists and 39 members of the opposition

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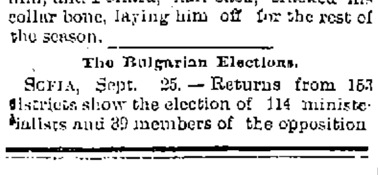

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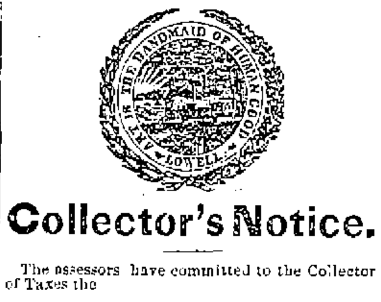

Collector's Notice.

The assessors have committed to the Collector of Taxes the

TAX LIST FOR 1894,

With instructions to collect in the manner prescribed by the Statutes of the Commonwealth and the Ordinances of the City of Lowell, the sums assessed by them to the persons named therein, and he is now ready to receive payment of said Taxes at his office in City Hall.

When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the Collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or about November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent. per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1894, until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said Taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed on every male inhabitant above the age of 20 years. On undivided real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

The assessors are now distributing Tax Bills. If any ratable inhabitant, by removing his residence since the first day of May, or from any cause, should not receive his Tax Bill, he must consider the Tax demanded by this notice, and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes if a Tax has been assessed.

All who preserve their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1894 IS $17.40 ON $1000.

Office Hours: From 9 o'clock a.m. to 3 p.m.

For the convenience of the Tax paying public the office of the Collector will be open in the evening as follows: Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 1 to Oct. 13, inclusive, 7 to 8 o'clock p. m. Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, from Oct. 15 to Oct. 20, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m.

☞ Look for your Tax Bill at your place of residence May 1st, 1894, and bring it with you.

JOHN H. HARRINGTON,
City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Lowell.

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Under the management of Wm. A. Brady.
Prices $1, 75, 50, 35, 25c. Seats on sale Friday at 10 o'clock.

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In his picture-lined Bowery resort at night, and in a thrilling midnight leap from
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The Burning Watch-house on the Pier! Chatham Square After Dark! The Bowery Outdoors and Indoors! Frank Bush and a big company. Fun and Sensation! Striking Specialties!
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ENGAGEMENT EXTRAORDINARY.
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Wednesday Matinee.
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Greatest Vaudeville Sensation of the Season.
LANWORTH' COLORED VAUDEVIELE COMPANY.
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MIDDLESEX SS.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen Scanlan, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate, by Ellen T. Feely, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed, may be issued to her, or some other suitable person, the executor named in said will having declared the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a probate court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Tuesday of October A.D., 1894, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the LOWELL DAILY SUN, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days, at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said court, this eighteenth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

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300 pairs of Ladies' Russet Laced Boots, every pair warranted, regular price $2.50, our price $1.23.
Ladies' Black Oxfords, patent tips, all sizes, usual price 75c, our price 50c.
Job lot of Ladies' Black and Colored Oxford, regular price $1.25, our price 75c
Misses' and Children's Oxford Ties, 45c.
Children's Russet Boots, our own make, 40c.
50 pairs of Low Bicycle Shoes, former price $1.50, our price $1.
Job lot of Women's Button Boots, 25c.; also a job lot of Ladies' Serge Lace Shoes, former price 75c., our price 45c.

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FOR SALE in Centralville a nice cottage house of 7 rooms, large lot of land and on easy terms. Price, $1350. G. L. Hubbard, 17 Merrimack street.

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OLD PAPERS, just the thing to put under carpets, 5 cents a hundred at this office.

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FOR SALE—A good farm of 50 acres with good buildings, 6 miles from Lowell. Price $2000.

FOR SALE in Ward Four new cottage house of 7 rooms with large lot of land. Price, $2000. G. L. Hubbard, 17 Merrimack street.

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, cottage of 7 rooms and pantry, near Lakeview avenue, sewer connections, good lot of land, well fenced; price $1200, easy terms. Come quick or you'll lose it. Fish & Plummer, 137 Central street.

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VARIETY STORES use old papers for wrapping purposes. We sell them at this office for 5 cents a hundred.

FOR SALE.—A small farm seven miles from Lowell, one-half mile from the depot, near the school, one acre of blackberries, one quarter of an acre of strawberries, seventy-five apple trees, twenty pear trees, one and a half acres with three acres of planted. Rare bargain. For further particulars see C. W. Pinkham, 65 Merrimack street. Come quick or you will lose this chance.—200 acres of a farm, with a 20 room house; would make a fine summer boarding house. Cuts 50 tons of hay, plenty of fruit, one and a half miles from the depot, and ($1150) eleven hundred and fifty dollars will capture this place. Inquire of C. W. Pinkham, 65 Merrimack street.

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One of the best pieces of property at the Highlands, rents for $1000. Will exchange for other property or sell on easy terms.
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Nothing but Artistic Work Done at NUDD'S, 64 Central St., Room 5.

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR TUESDAY, SEPT. 25.

SUN RISES..... 5 35 | MOON RISES..12 50 AM
SUN SETS..... 5 50 | FULL SEA ... 7 35 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..12 01 | ... 7 45 PM

Forecast for New England: Fair; cooler; northwest winds, diminishing.

LOCAL NEWS.

Be joyful and smoke Tower's corner.

The Daughters of Liberty had two candidates and three applications last evening.

Prohibitory county convention in Boston tomorrow noon, and congressional convention at Lawrence Saturday.

The Putnam Guards' rifle team defeated the Concord Light Artillery team, Co. I, Sixth regiment, at the Concord range, Saturday 295 to 281.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horne have presented them with two beautiful pictures, to mark the twelfth anniversary of their marriage.

Over 9000 Registered.

The number of pupils enrolled at the public schools during last week was 8822. Yesterday there were 9001 pupils registered.

A Serious Wound.

Claude Hamilton, son of Mrs. H. B. Hamilton of Methuen street, is laid up with a painful wound to the foot caused by stepping on a nail. This is a very serious accident.

Asst. Supt. Courtney Retained.

Assistant Superintendent Courtney has been reinstated by Supt. Crowley, of the street department. The reinstatement occurred yesterday and Mr. Courtney at once resumed his duties.

Loungers Must Keep On the Move.

The complaints made to the police of loungers on the canal bridge opposite the Merrimack street depot resulted in the arrest of seven who would not "move on" when ordered to last night.

Miserables Are Still Winning.

The Miserables easily defeated the Big 12 in the bowling tournament last evening. Neylon with 512 was high man, and Marren and McLaughlin were tied at 508. The score was Miserables 2418; Big 12, 2309.

Arrested for Wholesale Breaks.

Inspectors Lafamme and Allen arrested Willie Gelineau in Little Canada yesterday accused of breaking and entering and larceny of goods and money from Swan & Smith's shoe store, Foote's music store, Charles Swan's drug store, J. J. Mahoney's cigar store, Sullivan's fish market, and Willis variety store on Race street. These breaks were made during the summer. Gelineau admits his guilt.

With the Right Spirit.

The Columbian democratic club of Ward One held a meeting last night in St. Joseph's hall, Dutton street. Eight new members were admitted and 12 applications for membership received. The following officers were elected: President, Michael J. Bruin; vice president, Patrick McDermott; Rec. Sec., Thomas J. Coleman; treasurer, Dominick Meehan.

The club is in a flourishing condition and will endeavor to advance the interests of the democratic party during the coming campaign.

KILLED BY CARS.

An Old Soldier Formerly of Lowell Meets Death on the Rail.

Archibald Leckie, an old sailor, who resided in Lowell, was killed instantly at Thompson's point, near Portland, Sunday afternoon. In his clothes was found the card of Mr. Tyrell with Mrs. Fowler, 75 Summer street, Lowell, Mass. The old man went into the round house to get a drink of water and coming out again on the track, at a curve, was struck by a special, the engineer not having time to save him. For a number of years, Leckie was boss dyer at Walker & Son's, Lawrence street, and also worked in Scripture's laundry. He was a member of Post 42 G. A. R., and derived an income of $300 a year from property in Scotland. He leaves a wife and family. The remains will be brought here for interment.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

From Being Buried Under an Embankment at the East Merrimack Street Bridge.

A gang of men employed on the East Merrimack street bridge had a miraculous escape from being buried alive last night about 9.15 o'clock.

The men were working in a trench beneath a high bank on the Massachusetts side. The bank was undermined and all of a sudden it cracked on the top and a large pile of it weighing about fifty tons rolled down upon the men. Fortunately all but two made their escape to the further end of the trench in which they were digging, just in time to avoid being crushed.

Two were pinned against a pile of stones and although they were standing erect they were nearly buried by clay which was soft and sandy and did not injure them except by its weight. The box which they were filling was buried to a depth of five or six feet. It took ten men digging for twenty minutes to extricate the men. Dick Riley got the most severe crushing, but fortunately escaped without serious injury. The other man was covered to the waist.

RECEPTION BY PUPILS

To Rev. Fr. Wm. O'Brien, Pastor at St. Michael's Church by the Children of the Parish.

The children of St. Michael's parochial school tendered a very pleasant reception to their beloved pastor, Rev. William O'Brien, this morning. It took place in the cozy school hall, at 10 o'clock, and in honor of the happy occasion the hall was festooned with draperies of lace. The stage, on which were seated besides the reverend guest, the clergymen of the parish and a number of friends, was decorated prettily with palms and tropical plants. The following well selected program was carried out: Welcome song, all the pupils; address, Kittie Breen; "Take me back to home and mother," song, boys; recitation, Jimmie Monahan; address, Minnie Sullivan; "Now we little children," Minims; recitation, Vera McArdell; our pastor, song, all the pupils; recitation, Kittie McDonough; "Happy Days," song, girls; recitation, Jimmie McDonald; address, Tommie Reynolds; Welcome, song, school. Pianist, Miss K. Minahan.

The program was well rendered, the children sustaining their parts in a manner creditable even to older persons. The address of welcome delivered by Miss Kittie Breen, was a very pretty bit of composition and was spoken finely. At the conclusion of the program Rev. Fr. O'Brien was presented with a beautiful basket of choice flowers, the gift of the children of the school.

The recipient thanked his little friends in a brief speech which he followed with a few interesting stories on his recent trip, and closed by giving the school a holiday.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

A delicious smoke—Old Hundred cigar.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

J. H. Costello, 37 Davidson st., carpenter.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Old newspapers 5 cents a hundred at THE SUN office.

E. A. Wilson, coal dealer, is selling coal at lowest cash prices; call at 51 Merrimack street.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

Miss Josephine T. Riordan, 170 Gorham street, will resume teaching on the piano and organ about October first.

A true, life-like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barristers' hall and have a sitting made.

Evening Schools to Open.

The sub-committee on evening schools has voted to open the evening schools on Monday, Oct. 22d.

The Temple of Design.

Milliners have something to say this week which is of special interest to the ladies of this city. When going by the Runels' building in Merrimack square do not fail to call in at the Temple of Design as you will see the correct styles in fall and winter millinery.

Lowell Symphony Orchestra.

This musical society has elected these officers for the season: President, W. H. Valentine; vice president, Arthur Whitney; secretary, Percy Barleigh; treasurer, George Bryant; conductor, R. A. McDaniels. The orchestra will begin rehearsals next Sunday.

Poisoned by Dogwood.

Among the floral and harvest decorations at the Kaffa Klatsch, at the Eliot church last week, were branches of dogwood. Many young people who attended the affair, and are susceptible to dogwood poisoning, are now suffering from the effects of the poison. No serious results are anticipated.

Abandoned Her Child.

A woman giving the name of Minnie Chase and her residence as Boston left her year old child with a lady in Dracut several months ago, who promised to board the young one. The mother paid one month's board in advance but has not been seen since. The child is now at the Day Nursery on Kirk street.

NO SCHOOL BOARD

Met at Its Rooms Owing to the Absence of Republican Members.

Last evening was the regular meeting night of the school board but no session was held.

Yesterday afternoon Mayor Pickman left word at Supt. Whitcomb's office that he was not feeling well and so would not attend the meeting in the evening. Mr. Swapp also informed one of the democratic members that he would not attend. In view of this it was safe to say that there would be no meeting, as the republicans would refuse to do business unless every republican member was present. The only members present at the committee rooms last evening were members of the committee on salaries and evening schools.

THE NEW SOUTH.

Magnificent Performance of One of the Strongest Dramas Ever Presented at Our Opera House—The Pay Train at Music Hall.

The New South is the name of one of the strongest dramas ever given in our Opera house. Strong in dramatic lines and situations, with climaxes more intense than the melo-dramatic, it was magnificently presented by as fine a company as ever gotten together. The title of the play suggests a story of the late war; not so, it is a story of the New South in which new thoughts, new patriotism, new lives burst from the chrysalis of the Old South. The story is based on sectional and race prejudices, and it weaves into action the legislative act in Georgia of leasing state convicts to individuals. There is abundant material for a drama and it is charmingly drawn. Capt. Harry Ford, U. S. A., in love with Georgia Gwynne, a daughter of Gen. Gwynne, a gentleman of the old south, is falsely accused of killing Jefferson Gwynne, a congressional candidate who was really killed by Sampson, a negro politician of the worst type. Ford is sentenced and serves under Fitzhugh, a speculator in convict labor, who heaps cruelty on him.

Miss Gwynne learning of this and convinced of Ford's innocence leases the convict and gives him opportunity to obtain evidence of his innocence, implicating Sampson and Fitzhugh, the latter through purchase of the negro vote.

Delightful indeed is the piece enacted, each character taking its place so naturally that the spectators seems a confidant of the family. The New South is not a melodrama although the first act might create that impression. It is a story not unlike only stronger and more advanced than Alabama. Joseph Grismer, the author, and Miss Phebe Davies, who play the leads, are favorites instantly as Capt. Ford and Miss Gwynne. This is their first trip east, for they are widely known in the west. Every member of their support is strong, the Gen. Gwynne of Scott Cooper being a remarkable character and his southern dialect was fairly delicious. Space will not permit individual notice but in all seriousness the New South is one of the finest dramas seen here and a crowded house should greet it tonight.

UNDER THE CLOAK OF F. C. B.

A KNIGHT OF PYTHIAS DUPES HIS BRETHREN IN THE ORDER.

Wamesit Lodge of This City Suffers at the Hands of a Scoundrel Who May Have Broken Into the Lodge Desk.

There is a big sensation in Pythian circles on account of a bold scheme to rob the order. On Monday, Sept. 17, Wamesit lodge received a communication from the Pittsfield, Me., lodge stating that one, J. B. Read, purporting to be a member of Wamesit lodge had presented a draft on the lodge, and asking if he was all right. Examination showed the draft to be a fraud. The lodge telegraphed to hold Read, but he had got the money, $20, before the telegram reached there. Three more lodges have been heard from from whom he has received money by false pretences. The drafts used were all stolen from the lodge. To one order the thief forged the name of Frank H. Harris. The wily knight is still at large.

A Cup, Saucer and Plate given away with a pound of our high grade tea. Dickson Bros., The Big Tea Dealers, 98 Merrimack street.

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A WHITNEY BOOM

Ex-Secretary of the Navy a Popular Candidate

FOR GOVERNOR OF THE EMPIRE STATE.

Judge Gaynor is Positively Out of the Race.

SARATOGA, Sept. 25.—The Democratic state convention met in the convention hall at noon today and Senator Hill made his address as the temporary chairman of the meeting. Committees were appointed on credentials, permanent organization and platform, and the convention took a recess until tomorrow noon, when it will meet at the old skating rink where the convention that nominated Flower met in 1891. No nominations will be made today.

There is not a man versed in the ways of conventions of political parties that ever saw a situation like that which confronts the convention. The predicament is explained in a very few words by Lieutenant Governor Sheehan. He said: "There is not a man or politician here that knows who the nominee of the party will be until the convention meets. It is anybody or any faction's candidate, and the convention will be a Democratic one in every sense of the word."

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY.

The Tammanyites will come as one man for William C. Whitney. There is one significant fact in all this startling boom for Whitney, and that is that Mayor Gilroy, who was in Europe with Mr. Whitney during the past month, has nothing to say when asked as to the candidacy of the man, but smiles and says: "Wait until he comes and he will talk for himself."

The Platform.

The platform, as drawn up, contains a very great many planks that will probably be subject to revision, but as a whole, it will not be changed except as to the way in which it will read.

It renews its pledges of fidelity to principles of Democracy and affirms the planks of the national platform of 1892. It arraigns the Republican party in the state for attempting to deceive the people by pretending to cut down the state tax rate, when in effect it put over the payment of appropriations made by the legislature until the next year, for purely campaign purposes.

The work of the constitutional convention is criticised as partisan, and tending to burden the people with unnecessary additional expenses. It alleges that the purely reform measures, such as the forestling article, the charities article, the prison labor and canal articles, were passed by Democratic votes, but that the majority turned the convention into a political body by attempting to make a normally Democratic state Republican. It says that no home rule has been arranged for cities, and that the country districts have been favored as against the cities of the state.

On the tariff it declares that there should be no more general tariff legislation for years, but that if there be any necessity it should be by special act and then only when necessary to remove duty on raw materials. The income tax is entirely ignored.

Relating to canals, it declares for extensive improvements by bonding the state so as to allow the state to compete with Canada in the transportation of grain and lumber.

It denounces the principles of the American Protective association as un-American and in violation of the constitution, which provides for equality regardless of religion. It endorses the administration of Governor Flower at Albany and Senator Hill at Washington.

Hill In the Dark.

Senator Hill arrived late yesterday afternoon and opened headquarters at the Grand Union hotel. From the time of his arrival until a late hour of the night he was besieged by crowds of delegates. He said: "I received word that I was to be the temporary chairman of the convention today. I know nothing about who is the most prominent candidate and I have no opinion to express as to who will be the nominee of the convention."

Later he was shown a dispatch concerning the declination of Judge Gaynor, and he said, laconically: "It seems that the proper thing is to refuse to be a candidate."

Tammany's braves struck the village about 4:30 yesterday afternoon. Three sections of a special train, each containing 10 coaches, brought the crowd, which numbered in all nearly 1500. There were no bands on board, but enthusiasm was rampant and there was plenty of excitement.

Several of their delegates were seen in regard to the placing of Tammany's strength, and every man favors William C. Whitney. When asked as to the Flower boom, which started in a mild way and increased with no little encouragement, they seemed to be unanimous enough, but expressed little hope of his retracting his withdrawal.

Gaynor Not a Candidate.

Mirabeau Lamar Towns of Kings county received a telegram from Mr. Gaynor refusing to accept the nomination. It reads as follows:

"I was elected justice of the supreme court last fall in a district comprising nine counties and one-fourth of the population of the state. The office came to me not from those in power, but from the people and unsought. I was not able to see then that I was entitled to anything merely for having done what I could as a private citizen for honesty, decency and manliness in politics and in government, nor am I able to now.

"Anyhow, I cannot at this time lay down the office I hold. It could disregard the effect upon those dependent on me in the loss of the legal practice I gave up to go on the bench, and again in the loss of my present handsome salary, but I cannot again so soon appeal to the splendid individual integrity and intelligence which stood behind the ballots cast for me last fall.

"I have said all along, privately and publicly, orally and in writing, that I should not become a candidate for governor, and the above is my chiefest reason. As I am without a representative at Saratoga, and very busy here, I ask you to make this public. I am deeply moved by the favor shown me and never expected it."

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FAVORED BOSTON.

Errors by Porkopolitans Allowed the Beaneaters to Roll Up Runs.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 24.—Boston won through errors by Cincinnati which cost three runs.

Boston..... 2 1 0 0 0 1 2 0 1—7
Cincinnati..... 1 0 0 0 1 2 0 0 0—4

Base hits—Boston, 12; Cincinnati, 6. Errors—Boston, 2; Cincinnati, 4. Batteries—Stivetts and Ganzell; Fischer and Merritt.

At Louisville:

New York..... 1 0 3 2 0 0 2 —8
Louisville..... 4 0 2 0 0 1 0 0—7

Base hits—New York, 9; Louisville, 7. Errors—New York, 2; Louisville, 3. Batteries—Meekin and Farrell; Knell and Coto.

At Cleveland:

Cleveland..... 2 7 0 0 0 3 0 0 —12
Baltimore..... 3 0 0 1 1 0 0 2 0—7

Base hits—Cleveland, 15; Baltimore, 9. Errors—Cleveland, 5; Baltimore, 2. Batteries—Cappy and Zimmer; Hawke, Gleason and Robinson.

At St. Louis:

Philadelphia..... 0 5 5 0 1 2 0 0 8—21
St. Louis..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1

Base hits—Philadelphia, 22; St. Louis, 7. Errors—St. Louis, 6. Batteries—Johnson and Buckley; Clarkson and Twineham.

At Pittsburg:

Pittsburg..... 1 1 3 0 0 4 1 0 —10
Brooklyn..... 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—4

Base hits—Pittsburg, 15; Brooklyn, 6. Errors—Pittsburg, 4; Brooklyn, 2. Batteries—Morrice and Weaver; Stein and Kinslow.

At Chicago:

Chicago..... 1 2 4 0 2 0 2 6 0—17
Washington..... 0 0 1 0 0 2 1 0 0—4

Base hits—Chicago, 20; Washington, 12. Errors—Chicago, 3; Washington, 4. Batteries—Ritchison and Schriver; Stockdale and Dugdale.

Back to Civilization.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Sept. 25.—The last of the parties put ashore on the Labrador coast by the steamer Miranda returned here by the vessel Virginia Lake. This was the University of Pennsylvania expedition, consisting of four professors. The party spent the summer making an exploration of Sandwick bay, north Labrador. Three great rivers were explored and charts of them made. Valuable collections of birds and butterflies were obtained. All are satisfied with the result of the expedition.

Boston's Election Muddle.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—The Roxbury courtroom was crowded yesterday with politicians and members of the bar to hear the case against the four caucus officials of ward 19—French, Hickey, Mulherne and Dowd, charged with violation of the election laws at the caucus last Friday night. Mulherne and Lynch are arraigned on two charges, and Dowd and Hickey on one. It was decided to hear the case on Oct. 3. Bail was fixed at $500.

Adjourned to Washington.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The United States strike commission, appointed to investigate the recent Chicago labor troubles, has adjourned its hearings from Chicago to Washington, and the commission will meet in this city on Sept. 26, at which time the commission will be in readiness to receive in writing any suggestions which may be made relative to the solution of questions involved in the late controversy.

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Bad For Bulls.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Wheat bulls are well nigh discouraged. With prices lower than they have ever been in the history of the trade, there seems to be nothing upon which the market can get a foothold. Yesterday witnessed more heavy selling, following a sharp break in corn, and December sank to 58 1-16c. Apparently wheat is without friends.

Had a Close Call.

EXETER, N. H., Sept. 25.—The town of South Newmarket suffered the most serious fire it has had in 20 years, and its loss was kept within $15,000 only by the aid of outside firemen. Two double tenement houses, two stables and the only hotel in the place are now in ashes.

John Bond's Error.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 25.—At a christening party at Patapsco Neck, John Boyd took up an old army musket, supposed to be unloaded, and proceeded to explain how it was used during the war. The gun exploded, killing a child and dangerously wounding the little one's mother.

Famine May Compel Surrender.

THE HAGUE, Sept. 25.—Dispatches from Batavia, Java, say that Mataram, capital of the island of Lombok, has been almost destroyed by the bombardment of the Dutch fleet. The besieged Balinese are beginning to suffer from famine, and are expected to capitulate shortly.

Patterson Draws Out.

MELBOURNE, Sept. 25.—President Patterson has resigned, owing to the result of the elections, a feature of which was the annihilation of the free trade party. Patterson was re-elected, but his party and policy did not receive the support he expected.

Puddlers on Strike.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 25.—The puddlers at the Oliver Iron and Steel works struck yesterday against a 25 per cent reduction, and all but four furnaces closed down.

The Czar's Ailment.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 25.—It is stated that the czar is suffering from bright's disease of the kidneys.

GENTLEMEN,

We want your attention for about two minutes; it's about fall underwear. We know as well as you do that you don't have any trouble to find a place to buy underwear, and good ones, too, but we're calling your attention just now to Shirts and Drawers that will go the best one better. The same goods for less money, or better goods for the same money, is the motto we stand by.

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Men's White Fine Heavy Merino Shirts and Drawers, 50c.
Men's Fine Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 50c.
Men's Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, 50c.
Men's Fancy Blue and Brown Wool Shirts and Drawers, 58c.
Men's Heavy Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 63c.
Men's Camel's Hair Shirts and Drawers, 68c.
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'Twas a Test Case.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 25.—Dec. 8, 1893, a barge of cotton consigned to several New England mills burned near Cairo, Ills., presumably from sparks from a locomotive or steamer. The owners in a test case instituted suit against the Cairo, Vincennes and Chicago railroad, alleging the railroad was negligent in leaving the barge lying for 18 days after arrival at Cairo exposed to sparks from trains and steamers. Judge Allen yesterday rendered a judgment of $25,867 in favor of the Lancaster mills of Clinton, Mass. Claims of other companies, including costs, aggregate $60,000.

Going to Court.

BOSTON, Sept. 25.—The board of aldermen last evening passed an order requesting Attorney General Knowlton to institute proceedings to enjoin the Brookline Gas company from further digging up the streets without a permit from the board, over the mayor's veto. The aldermen claim that it is not in the mayor's province to issue permits, while the mayor makes the opposite contention.

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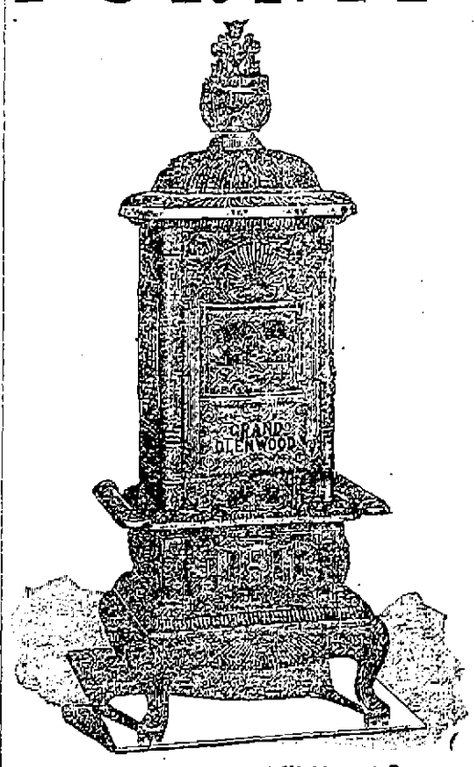

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